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ent Court convened at Hickman Monday with Judge R. B. Flatt, of Chaton, presiding.

Monday the grand jury was empanelled and set to work, and is composed of the following:

#### Grand Jury.

Will Lyman Ernest Treas Hubert Stone R. S. Bransford Charlie Barber

John Donnell

J. W. Edwards Max Roper Green Adams, foreman

John Meacham J. R. Scott Henry Maddox

#### Petit Jury.

Tuesday morning the work of the court began with empanelling the petit juries, which are composed of the following:

J. P. Leggate John Wiley Lum Tate

J. A. Roper J. B. Bradberry

A. M. Roper J. H. Millet C. N. Burnett

N. Brasfield

W. J. Fields Henry Amberg

(i. W. Phelps J. M. Atteberry

Joe Polhamus B. F. Holley

J. W. Mayes J. H. Pickett

L. N. Gregory J. H. Pollock

George Hardy Gene Blakemore

Tobe Capps W. T. Shanklin

G. B. Walker

The following commonwealth ases have been disposed of: Bud Hayden, carrying conceal-

ed deadly weapon, filed away. Hess Glasper, wilful murder,

Clarence Kimes, horse stealng, continued.

Fonsie Malone, disturbing lawful assembly, continued.

Donnie Johnson, incest, continu

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Jim Madison, wilful murder, ontinued.

Nelse Carter, detaining woman,

Cy Barnes, breach of peace, con

Des Montgomery, breach of peace, continued.

Joe Riddelburger, breach of peace, continued.

Pete Barnes, malicious cutting, continued.

W. Calhoun, grand larceny, con inued.

Lonnie Glidewell, 2 cases, disturbing lawful assembly, continu-

Luther Fly, carrying concealed deadly weapon, continued.

Ed Totten, setting up craps dame, continued.

Walter Boaz, violating local option law, continued. lke Haynes, same as above. Ben Taylor, same as above.

Marvin Shroate, same as a A. E. Tinsley, carrying conceald deadly weapon, continued. John Goodlow, chicken steal-

ng, continued. Otho Slayden, violating local

plion law, continued. Paul Moore, furnishing liquor

o minor, continued.

Fiscal Court and City of Fuln, common nuisance, dismissed. Bert Wallace, violating local ption law and malicious shoot ing, stricken from docket.

M. M. Everette and T. M. Bone, orfeted bail bond of Don Cook,

W. Phelps forfeited bail and of Fate Simmons, \$200. Chester Stowe, unlawfully killnk cattle, filed away.

D. L. McNeil was presented to he court by F. S. Moore and sworn in as a member of the local bar.

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News Snapshots

Following the exposure of the plan of Dr. Dumba, Austrian ambassador to the United States, to cripple American factories by withdrawing foreign labor, we asked his government to recall him. The recall of Captain von Papen of the German embassy was also expected, when it was announced he had gone on a vacation to Yellowstone park. Secretary Daniels gave out twentytwo names selected for the naval advisory board, including Hudson Maxim and Peter Cooper Hewitt. Zeppelins raided the

heart of London. Twenty were killed and many injured. Count von Bernstorff gave the state department assurances, backed by his government, that the Arabic case would be settled to our satisfaction. Six financial experts from England and France, headed by Lord Chief Justice Reading of Great Britain, conferred with J. Pierpont Morgan and other bankers about \$1,000,000,000 loan. A fire on Sant' Anna in midocean endangered lives of Italian reservists

Frequent Arrivals of the New Styles in

# ... Women's Outer Apparel ..

Keep Our Assortments Abreast of Fashion-Developments



ALMOST as soon as the new styles are shown in New York city they are shown in Hickman, at Smith & Amberg's. We have just received a number of recent fashions in women's suits, coats, dresses and other apparel, which we now have on display.

No other Hickman store presents such a comprehensive and interesting collection of the new Autumn apparel as we. Among the values you should see are the following:

THE NEW SUITS-in all the wanted styles and materials, at \$12.50, \$16.50, \$20.00 to \$30.00

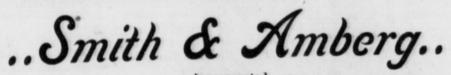
THE NEW DRESSES—in solid colors and combinations—silks, serges, etc. Prices \$7.50, \$9.00, \$12.50 to \$20.00

THE NEW SKIRTS-in all the new styles and materials. Prices \$3.50, \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10

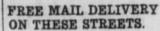
THE NEW WAISTS-in crepe de chines, taffetas, etc. Prices \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2 to \$6

# The New Fall Millinery

as shown at Smith & Amberg's will win your instant approval. Our splendid values will meet with your appreciation. This is the largest assortment of dress, street and tailored hats we have ever shown.



Incorporated "A Safe Place to Tracle"



Following we print the names of the streets that will be served by city mail delivery, according to the department's present plans:

#### Route No. 1.

Exchange street. Laurel street. Water street. Clinton street. Jackson street.

Magnolia from Allegheny to Carroll from Union to Alle-

gheny. Moulton from Union to Allegheny.

Moscow from Allegheny to Wellington from Union to Al-

Buchanan from Union to Cum-

perland. East side Union from Buchanan

Cumberland from Buchanan to Kentucky from Wellington to

Ohio from Wellington to river.

Wabash from Wellington to Allegheny from Wellington to

Second from Moscow to river. Troy from Moscow to river.

Route No. 2.

Main from Fulton to Obion. Carroll from Obion to Union. Market from Hall to Obion. Moulton from Obion to Union. Brooklyn from Hall to Obion. Welling from Obion to Union. Buchanan from Obion to Union. Catlett from Washington to

Marr (north side) from Washngton to Broadway. Marr (south side) from Ash-

land to Broadway. Washington (east side) from Marr to Catlett.

Wainut from Marr to Catlett. Ashland from Marr to Catlett. Broadway from Marr to Brook Hall from Catlett to Main.

Fulton from Catlett to Main. Obion from Buchanan to river. Tennessee from Buchanan to

West side Union from Buchanar to river.

#### CLOAR-LAWRENCE.

Mrs. Lena Cloar, of this city, and Martin L. Lawrence, of Franklin, Tenn., were happily married Sunday evening at 7 p. m. at the Cloar home in the Bond Addition, Rev. C. A. Riggs officiating. The happy couple will make their home in Hickman for a short time, after which they will reside at Franklin, Tenn.

#### OFFICERS RE-ELECTED.

The officers of Hickman Chapter, R. A. M., were re-elected at the regular meeting Monday evening. They are Dr. Lon Naylor, H. P.

W. C. Speer, K. Hon. W. J. McMurry, S. J. C. Sexton, C. H. Judge W. B. Amberg, P. S. C. H. Moore, R. A. C. Oris Leet, M. 3 V. W. H. Caldwell, M. 2 V. Austin Voorhees, M. 1 V. W. F. Montgomery, Secy. Dr. J. M. Hubbard, Treas. Chas. Johnson, Tiler.

Parents, bring your boys to our store. We have 50 boys suits that were \$12.50; our price while they last \$6.50.—Sullivan Bros.

June Eddings, a young white man, at Fulton, seriously cut Phillip Douglas, a negro, Sunday during an altercation. He used, it is said, a knife or razor and came near severing the negro's jugular vein and also slashed him on the side of the head. The negro was carried to the office of Dr. Henry T. Alexander on Lake street where the wounds were dressed. He received one or two ugly wounds, not necessarily fatal. Eddings was arrested and jailed. He waived examination and was bound over to circuit court under a bond of \$200.

Charlie, the little son of Mrs. Lena Parham, is hobbling about on crutches as a result of a fall, in which he injured his thigh. The little fellow was swinging on the limb of a tree when the accident occurred.

#### NEW METHOD BEING TAUGHT CIRCUIT COURT.

Cincinnati Schools Equipped With Bathing Pools Are Teaching Swimming With a Circular Trolley.

Cincinnati .- A new system of teaching boys and girls how to swim, instidescribed by the Scientific American: | for bail bond. An apparatus is employed consisting of an oval track secured to the ceiling over the pool. A dozen trolleys run on the track, and from each depends a rope with a belt attacked. Twelve pupils fasten the belts around their waists and the swimming lesson bond.

They go through the motions of "sailor fashion" and the "Australian which was hung in both cases. crawl" as per the direction of the swimming instructor, who keeps watch from around the edge of the pool. They cannot sink, so the only thing remaining for them to do is to swim.



Cincinnati Swimming Trolley.

This "water merry-go-round" has proved so successful that others like k are to be installed in schools where a bathing pool is a part of the equip

#### WINS BATTLE WITH SEA BAT

Fourteen Feet Across the Back, Towed a Gasoline Launch for Six Hours.

Mobile, Ala .- A great sea bat filed away. weighing more than a ton was captured in Mobile bay by Thomas C. Cairns of Birmingham after an all-day battle, and 25 men hauled it out at Bayou la Batre. It had towed a powerful gasoline launch for six hours.

The fish was 14 feet across the back and ten feet six inches from the mouth to the beginning of the tail. Though for two years. Appeal from it was not weighed, old fishermen be Judge Stahr's court, lieve that it is the largest specimen ever landed in the Gulf of Mexico. The of Arthur Stone, \$25.50. other one caught near Mobile weighed . Bob Webb et al, know as night 2,500 pounds, it is said. This was 50

Mr. Cairns says that the fish was Odell Haynes, forgery, tried by sighted off Dauphin island in the jury and sentenced to penitenearly morning. The launch was driven alongside and a harpoon thrown The harpoon was atinto the fish. tached to 600 feet of one-quarter inch sash cord. The fish towed the 18-foot morning. lausch occupied by Mr. Cairns and the speed. Several times when the fish guilty. would come to the surface Mr. Cairns would fire at it with a 38-caliber revolver, but with apparently no effect.

Finally, late in the afternoon, the fish was tired out and towed alongside the tug Laura. Next morning the Lanura towed the launch and the devil fish into Bayou la Batre. Mr. Cairns says the harpoon lines were put over the stern of the launch and the engine run ahead for six hours in an effort to tire out the monster.

When Bayou la Batre was reached it required 25 men to haul the monster up on the beach. No scales large enough to weigh the fish were available at Bayou la Batre, but old fishermen guessed the weight of the monster, sometimes called a sea bat, at more than 2,000 pounds,

#### SLAYS MANY WILD ANIMALS

In Six Months Oregon Hunter Has Killed Panthers, Wildcats and Five Bears.

Port Oxford, Ore. - Within six months E. L. White of this place has suit for alienating affections of proved himself a successful hunter husband, judgment for \$500. of predatory animals, and his dogs have treed and he has killed five bears, five panthers, and a goodly number of wildcats.

He recently spent several days up on Sixes river, and killed a female panther that had destroyed many sheep and deer in that locality. She had often been run with dogs and had on Tuesday, Oct. 5th. learned to elude them by springing from tree to tree and from stump to log, then dodging and running in a different direction.

Before the big cat was killed several photographs were taken as it was snarling and showing its teeth at tion.

Man Killed Playing Leapfrog. New York.-Robert Finley, a carpenter, who stopped to play leapfrog with several boys, fell on his face and was killed by a truck.

Aged Woman Is Dead, Paterson, N. J.-Mrs. Marie Lessaso, one hundred and ten, who was married at one hundred and five, is dead from heart disease.

Burglars Steal Safe. New York.—Burglars carried off a 500-pound safe from a restaurant on lower Broadway. It contained \$10.

(Continued from first page.)

A. L. Capps, violating local op-

J. W. White, violating local op-

local option law, tried by jury

J. W. Jennings, violating local option law, tried by jury and found not guilty.

Oscar Allison, carrying concealed deadly weapon, tried by court, fined \$50 and ten days in jail and disfranchised for two years. Appeal from Judge Stahr's court.

Catlett Graves, carrying con-

cealed deadly weapon, tried by jury and found not guilty. Geo. Naifeh, violating Sabbath, dismissed. It was found that this

indictment was against a child, when it was intended for his fath-Jno. Burgett, Joe Bryson,

Snow Chambers, Allen Archey, all charged with carrying concealed deadly weapon, dismissed.

Walter Williby and Dora Shannon, common nuisance, filed a-

Jess Harrison, earrying conealed deadly weapon and 2 cases violating local option law, continned.

Dish Bumpus, horse stealing; defendant in asylum.

Jno. Weatherly, forfeited bail bond of Louis Weatherly, \$50. Delmas Lamastus, d.isturbing public worship, fined \$20.

E. Basham and W. E. Hamblet, both charged with violating local option law, dismissed.

Jim Jones, detaining woman,

Green Lowery, common nui-

sance, fined \$10 by court. Chester Stowe, wilful murder, continued.

Elbert Beasley, carrying conealed deadly weapon, fined \$50, ten days in jail and disfranchised

A. E. Wall, forfeited bail bond

Bob Webb et al, know as night rider cases, filed away.

Seven indictments were return ed by the grand jury up to this

R. J. Hill, malicious shooting, boatman, developing a high rate of tried by jury and found not

S. H. Crossland, contempt of

court, fined \$5.

Vester Davis, violating local option law, tried by jury and found not guilty in one case, one other continued.

Pink Fly, housebreaking, set for trial Friday.

Dick Pearson, detaining woman et for trial Friday.

Ellen Knowles, wilful murder, entinued.

James Thomas Williams, pauper idiot. As allowance of \$15 as made for his expenses from last payment.

The following civil cases have

been tried:

Hickman Hardware Co. vs. J. P. Leggate and J. B. Jones, judgment for \$225.

J. J. C. Bondurant vs. W. J. Barry, J. M. Hubbard and T. T. Swayne, judgment for \$56.69.

Ann Smith vs. Emma Weaver, Hickman Building & Loan As-

sociation vs. Walter Branham, udgment for \$90.63.

Will Osborn and Maggie Osborn, Ex Parte, adopted Mary Evelyn Calvin.

All civil cases are set for trial

#### WHAT HAS BECOME OF-

The Eastland investigation. The Frank lynching investiga-

General Carranza. That war with Japan. Mme, de Thebes' prophecies. The Russian army. The Castle House dances. The Haitian revolution. Anybody know?

Ankles watches and rolled down stockings are fashionable only in the fashion magazines. We are from Missouri to those who dis pute this assertion.

The Hickman Hdw. Co. has a foxy looking new delivery wagon. & Co.

GUNNELS KILLS MURRAY NEAR BESSIE, TENN.

time of the purchase several days nal determination. work and the boss paying him off, tional amendment adopted in 1909 friends. No arrangements have Cook told Gunnels, his clerk, to authorizing the voting of bond is- been made for the funeral, but tion for The Hickman Courier collect for the other pair of sues to build roads. Under that probably some time tomorrow, as since our last report:

A Cup of

MY Good Coffee

will surely make you

feel good these mornings.

Lee Ellison.

pound.

Santos Peaberry

Boca

French Market

#### SECTION 157-A.

Some months ago, Daviess At Cook's commissary, two county voted on a bond issue of miles south of Bessie, Rube Gun- \$600,000 for roads. Some 8,000 day of the death of Miss Bettie nels, age about 24, clerk in the votes were cast. The majority in Dodds, which occurred Tuesday bondsman, F. S. Moore, was sum-commissary, shot and killed Jim favor of the bonds fell 175 short afternoon at the Glockner Sana-Murray, about 40, who had been of two-thirds of the total vote torium in Colorado Springs, Colo. equipped with bathing pools, is thus should not be proceeded against employed on the government cast. Following precedent, it Miss Bettie had been in bad quarter boat as pump man. The was held that, under section 157 health for a year or more and shooting happened about 5 o'- of the constitution, the issue was it was in the hope of receiving clock Monday afternoon. As Gun- lost. The advocates of good relief that she and her sister, Miss man A. S. Barkett, was summon nels told the story, Murray had roads in Daviess have decided, Allie, went to Colorado Springs ed to show cause why he should purchased two pairs of shoes and and decided rightly, to put the this summer. About a week age

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I sell FOUR kinds of coffee.

is put up in pound cans and four

pound pails. Its the only coffee

with the real genuine old New

Orleans French Market flavor, I

like this. Price is 25 cents the

is the highest grade of Peaberry

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them.) Some people wont have

anything but this Peaberry. It

is a very fine, large Rio bean. It

is selected and tested by experts

for its taste, and the same flavor

always secured. It is carefully

roasted and kept in sealed cans

so as to retain its flavor. Sold in

is our old standby. Been selling

it for years. Its always good

Lots of people here wont have

anything else. Put up in two

pound cans at 65 cents the can.

with \$1.00 worth of above cof-

fees, or 2 cans Boca. Alone 16

Avadean Self Rising Flour 95c

Best Grade Hog Lard 1216c

Highest Grade Patent Flour 85c

(Flour is advancing.)

Best Grade Dry Salt Bacon 121/c

Meadow Gold Creamery Butter, 35c

(14 pound Prints.)

New Cal. Evaporated Apricots

New Crop California Figs

Rocky Ford Cantelopes, 5c

SPECIAL-18 Pounds Best Granulated Sugar

has an excellent flavor.

bulk only at 30 cents.

Ground and pulverized.

pounds for a dollar.

Jersey Cream Meal

Seeded Raisins

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Fresh Italian Prunes

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Some More Specials

In Fresh Today

lots of this. Price 25 cents.

coffee. (Of course, there a

All good and all different.

#### MISS BETTIE DODDS DIED TUESDAY.

Word was received here Tuesnot be proceeded against for bail had only paid for one pair at the question up to the courts for fi- an operation was performed and according to reports from her J. M. McBride, 2 cases violating ago. Later Murray lost his job, The vote on the bond issue was bedside, seemed to be improving, possibly quit himself. When Mr. taken, not under section 157, but and the message telling of her look heard of Murray quitting under section 157-A, the constitu death was a shock to her many

.Office.. LEGGATE'S LIVERY STABLE RESIDENCE La Clede Hotel KENTUCKY

Dr. A. O. Longnecker

OUR HONOR ROLL.

The following persons have subscribed or renewed their subscrip-

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Petitions are being circulated n Hickman, Tiptonville, Dyersourg, and other towns adjacent to Reelfoot Lake, asking that the season for shooting ducks be changed so that the law will be come effective a month later and extend a month longer than the present arrangement. Three zones are also advocated-northern, intermediate and southern- each season for shooting ducks beginning a month later than its prede-

R. Glaser

The Mayfield Maxim, which was published by Col. Speight, the ex-postmaster, has ceased to exist as a Mayfield paper. It has been consolidated with the Hardin Enterprise, and the latter paper will hereafter be known as the Maxim-Enterprise, with Col. Speight as political editor and the former editors of the Enterprise as local editors.

Mrs. Charles Becker, whose rusband the New York police lieutenant, was resently executed for connection with the killing of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler eader, has returned to her vocation, a teacher in the New York public schools, where she is great y beloved by the children.

Judge Gus Thomas, of May field, was in town first of the week. This was his first visit here since the election when he was nominated to the Court of Appeals, and he was busy receiving the congratulations of friends.

Mr. Linebaugh, Federal game warden, was in town yesterday, on business. He was on a tour of West Kentucky and West Tennessee, looking after the duties of his office.

Chas, Fethe is visiting relaives at Gallatin and attending the fair at Nashville this week.

Julian Choate and wife left Tuesday for Nashville to attend the state fair.

FOR RENT: Furnished room. -Mrs. A. O. Caruthers.

ed Murray to pay, a dispute arose their approval. and after a heated quarrel, Murray advanced upon Gunnels, so Gunnels says, with a butcher knife and Gunnels pulled his pistol and fired one shot, which pierced Murray's breast and he fell dead.-Lake Co. News,

Take a look at our pant's window and you will know why we sell more pants than all the stores in town.—Sullivan Bros.

Another American soldier is dead of wounds received in border fights, making five.

The State University has 1,000 pupils in attendance.

Window glass, any size.-Stark

T. J. Webb and Miss Ida Newton were married last night by Rev. J. B. Housley, at the latter's home. The groom holds a position Episcopal church. with the Str. Mengel Box Co., and the bride is a daughter of Wm. Newton.

cures biliousness, malaria and con stipation. The first dose makes you feel better, a few additional doses cures completely. Price 50 cents. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

Burnett and Ernest Austin, of Nashville, spent Sunday with R. R. Burnett and family.

Same mdse, for less money at Sullivan Bros.

shoes, fearing the man would leave section a majority vote for the the remains will arrive on the the country. When Gunnels ask-bonds is all that is required for early morning train, W. A. Dodds and wife went to St. Louis last night to meet the funeral party. Deceased is survived by a sis-

Ellison Grocery & Hardware Co.

Incorporated.

ter, Miss Allie Dodds; and three brothers, W. A., S. L. and J. F Dodds. She was a member of the The Courier is indeed sorry to

learn of the death of this good woman, and we join her many HERBINE is the medicine that friends in extending sympathy to those who mourn.

See the new Overland Automo-

biles in stock.-Hickman Hardware Co., Ats. Fulton county. Pants and suits at one half

price at Sullivan Bros. The Empress-today.

Paints-Stark & Co.

ENINGS IN OUR OWN AND OTHER COUNTRIES BRIEFLY TOLD.

#### SHORT ITEMS FOR BUSY MEN

News Condensations Re ewed Without Comment-All Nations Find Something to Edify and Instruct.

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urier

B. Besch and son August were an automobile accident near nore, ia. The auto plunged an embankment and the men aught beneath.

a their automobile capsized on dy road Mrs. Howard Cope of Ill., was killed and her husperhaps fatally injured.

Paris war office hears that a part of the German troops which been operating against the Rusis being transferred to the An-

an U. Humphrey, former govof Kansas, is dead.

Her T. Hale, a brakeman on the ago & Eastern Illinois railroad, caught between two cars of his Momence and crushed to His home was at Kokomo, Ind.

dge John E. Day of the Webster nty (Mo.) court died as the result juries suffered in a runaway acci-

amons charging criminal libel former Gov. Eugene N. Poss, of the candidates for the Repuban nemination for governor of Massetts, was issued by the munic criminal court at the request of lennis D. Driscoll, secretary of the rades Union Liberty league.

of the historic oaks under which the Republican party came into cut it. ng at Jackson, Mich., in 1854, was y damaged in the recent storm

The attendance at schools in Butler inty, Mo., has been reduced oneowing to the large number of es which have gathered since he recent flood.

Austrassador Gerard advised the tate department that Dr. L. E. Zamabof, the author of Esperanto, and eral months, are in good health in jer's book.

high water at Rantoul, Kan., 10 | distillers. les from Ottawa, it was necessary to hold a boat funeral.

Miss Nellie Sowers was killed and Ray Arnett and Floyd Prather were seriously injured in a collision between wo automobiles and a buggy near

Returns from the Maryland primary how that Comptroller Ellerson C. Harington was nominated as the Democratic candidate for governor and O. E. Weller by the Republicans.

Nearly 500 employes at the United States Cartridge company, at Lowell, Mass., are on strike.

Three thousand members of the Improved Order of Redmen attended the opening of the sixteenth annual grand council at Chicago.

The Turkish city of Phocaea, on the coast of Asia Minor, was burned as the result of a bombardment by allied

John Lowenbruck, an American ranchman, captured and held for \$2,000 ransom by Mexican bandits near Columbus, N. M., has escaped.

Turkey has ceded to Bulgaria 200 square miles of territory.

A bond issue of \$100,000 for the erection of a tuberculosis sanitarium was voted in Jasper county, Mo.

Company E of the Nineteenth infantry will be stationed at Fort Sherdan, near Chicago during the business men's army school encampment.

A French torpedo boat patrol has sunk a German submarine in the Mediterranean sea between Mitylene and Tenedos.

John A. Lewis, a fisherman, was shot and killed at Cairo, Ill., by John Carnahan. Lewis attacked Carnahan's wife and the husband arrived before be could escape.

The fourth trial of Dr. B. Clark Hyde of Kansas City on the charge of murdering Col. Thomas H. Swope was continued until the January term of

. . . The first cargo of German-made toys to arrive this year is being unloaded from the Holland-American line steamer Zaundyk at Philadelphia.

Robert Fuqua of Centralia, III., was found guilty of opening a letter belonging to another. He was sentenced to one year.

Alberto Santos-Dumont, the Brazilian pioneer in aeronautics, will head a committee to take charge of a movement to develop aeronautics in South and Central America.

Gottlieb von Jagow, German foreign minister, has been promoted to the rank of major in reserve of the Third regiment of Hussars.

The cotton seed hull house, meal house and fortilizer plant of the Fort McPherson, Ga., branch of the Southern Oil company were destroyed by fire at a loss of \$75,000.

The southern labor congress at Chattanooga, Tenn., representing 150,000 wage earners throughout the southern states, has gone on record in favor of the equal suffrage move-

Warning that many sellers of gasoline are giving short measure was issued by the several commissioners of weights and measures to the drivers

Clarence Brown, one of the three convicts who escaped from the Joliet, III., penitentiary, was captured. Brown was found hiding in a cave in

The Fabre line steamer Santa Anna has arrived at St. Michaels, Azores, according to a dispatch to Lloyds.

Prospect Point into the Niagara river and go over the American falls. Frank Clay, balloonist, who fell

Park guards saw a man leap from

1,000 feet at the Colorado state fair when his parachute failed to open, is

George Miller, 55 years old, died at a hospital in Peoria, Ill., having been chewed to death by rats.

Forty-five yachta belonging to northern people were destroyed by fire at Miami, Fla. The loss will be

William Davis, an artist of New York, was found dead in his studio before an unfinished landscape, clad in his artists' apron and with palette and brush in his hands.

A. D. Novey and his wife of Cleveland, O., have what is believed to be the oldest wedding cake in existence. It was made for their wedding 35 years ago, and they decided never to

Ed Stephens, a farmer of Chickasha, scept this section of Michigan. Ok., recently became insane and told of having murdered his cousin, Oscar W. Stephens, 19 years old, five years

> All Bulgarian reservists in Italy have been recalled to the colors.

Oliver Harker, cashier of the Johnston City, Ill., National bank, which failed in July, 1914, was found guilty his wife, who have been missing sev- of making false entries in the cash-

The Alabama senate passed a house The Marais Des Cynges river was bill permitting the shipment of quantialling and the flood waters were re- ties of stored liquors from the state. eding from bottom lands. Because The measure was designed to relieve

> Highwaymen, believed to be those who recently killed two American civilians, were discovered on the Fresnot tract in Texas. Fired on by a party of soldiers, the Mexicans fled,

> Secretary Garrison said he would refer all requests for additional citizen training camps in the middle west to the central division of the army, at

> A special war tax on munitions of war is being planned by the treasury department to help swell the government funds, which have been depleted

> The dead body of Capt. John W. Milan of the Thirteenth United States cavalry was found hanging in his room in the officers' quarters at the

> A check for \$18,000 was received by Commissioner of Correction Davis from John D. Rockefeller toward the establishment of a hospital for drug fiends in New York. Howard Gould has decided to ap-

peal to the United States supreme court rather than pay a federal income tax on the \$36,000 a year alimony he has to give Kathryn Clemmens Gould.

The body of Prof. Epra Ripley Thayer, dean of the Harvard law school, was found in the Charles river basin.

Secretary Redfield laughed at the report that he would resign because of dissatisfaction over his investigation of the Eastland disaster. "Forget it," said the secretary.

The German military attache at Sofia, Major Baron von der Goltz, has departed.

Four German prisoners who escaped from the detention camp at Amherst, Nova Scotia, were captured in an open boat off Point Lepreaux in the Bay Joe Roper, of Hickman, visited The two year old boy baby of Mrs. W. J. Fields Thursday. - Mr and Mrs. Pomp Binford, of Mrs. John Sloan and son, Ed-Fulton, won second prize in the ward, spent Monday with W. B. "Better Babies" contest at the of Fundy.

Dr. J. L. Silvert, suspected of the murder of Nettie Poland, whose nude deserted road, was found dead in his Line .- A large crowd from this test in which 250 babies were enoffice at Georgetown, W. Va.

William Howard Taft addressed 5,000 persons at Stanford university. Wednesday. "My guess" said Taft, "is that this war will last at least two years more."

william H. Taylor, a carpenter employed upon the Bloomington, Ill., new high school, died of injuries received Ellison's Dry Goods and Variety time. Watch for date. Every-Cash Store. by falling from a scaffold.



### You like stylish clothes; see our new models in Varsity Fifty Five

You get style in a Hart Schaffner & Marx suit; real style, that comes from expert designing, expert workmanship and tailoring.

This is the thing that has made friends for these famous clothes; one of the big reasons why we carry them.

We know that plenty of firms make smart, wellcut clothes; we also know that only this one firm excels in this thing called style. They've made good ready clothes long enough to know the real thing and how to produce it.

# Smith & Amberg

"A SAFE PLACE TO TRADE"

#### ROPER DISTRICT NEWS.

N. L. Rice, of Jackson, Tenn., pent Saturday night with Mrs. ity, Sept. 26th. Fannie Henry and children. -Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roberson and son, Edward, visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Edmonston, of Un- a. m. ion City, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Isreal Clark, of near State 7:30 p. m. Line, spent Tuesday night with Jno. Sloan and family.-Mrs. Arthur Burns, of Cayee, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Beasley, Tuesday.—Mr. and Mrs.

#### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Seventeenth Sunday after Trin-Holy communion 8 a. m. Sunday School 10 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon 11

Evening prayer and sermon Naylor, who passed over to the Wednesday, Sept. 29th. Feast of St. Michael and All

Holy communion 9 a. m. Rev. W. F. Rennenberg,

Spotlight Sale

Many special bargains to be had at this

store right now. See the big hand bills

Show Window Display

And you are invited to come in and look, whether

you wish to buy or not.

Come and See

E. R. ELLISON

Variety Cash Store

Clark and family, of near State State Fair in Louisville. A con-

Cotton pick sacks, 9 feet, 7 the auspices of Loyal Order of

The handsome Str. Majestic,

the largest boat on the Mississip-

pi, will run an excursion, under

ion City Saturday.-Mrs. Isreal ty babies are prize winners.

Clark visited Mrs. J. L. Atwill

Dry Goods and

#### HICKMAN LODGE NO. 1294 B. P. O. ELKS.

We pause in our daily battle of

other side on Sept. 9th, 1915. In the death of Brother Naylor kins. this lodge has suffered an irrepar-

able loss, therefore be it shadow of such a great bereave- typhoid. ment can justly weigh such sorrow as this; that the sudden calling remindeth us that "He cometh up like a flower and is cut down;" that such anguish can ly, picks at the nose, starts in the not find solace in our tenderest sleep and grinds the teeth while

ove and memory."

resolutions be published in the ness. Price 25e per bottle. Sold Hickman Courier, a copy furnish- by Hickman Drug Co. Adv. ed the family and a copy be spread upon the records of our

G. G. Schlenker. T. A. Ledford. H. C.Barrett.

#### Health And Happiness Depend Upon Your Liver.

That sluggish liver with its sluggish flow of bile is what makes the world look so dark at times. Dr. King's New Life Pills go straight to the root of the difficulty by waking up the action of the liver and increasing the bile. Dr. King's New Life Pills cause the bowels to act more freely and drive away those "moody days." 25c a bottle.

Local gins paid \$3.75 for seed otton last Saturday. Some difference in the price now and one year ago. Predictions are that still better prices are to be realized as the season advances. The ST. LOUIS FURNISHING CO crop is reported short in many sections, Texas alone running 250,000 bales short of last year.

WANTED: Live salesman with auto to sell double tread tires. Every auto owner can be interest- R. O. Hester ed as we take two old casings and make one good one at a saving of 50 to 75 per cent. For salesman proposition address Practice in Hickman. Phone or vicinity attended the Fair at Un- tered. But, then, all Fulton coun- Cairo Double Tread Tire Co., 11th and Washington, Cairo, Ills. 1e

> Assessor J. P. Jeffress is in this end of the county this week making assessments.

Don't forget our Gold Seal Office Phone 222 Res. 221 syrup-best on earth. -Bettersworth.

#### LITTLE LADY DIES OF TYPHOID FEVER.

Gertie, the 11 year old daughlife, with its many trials, tribula- ter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jackson, tions, joys and sorrows, to drop a died at their home in this city tear for and pay our respects to Monday night of typhoid fever our departed brother William A. The little form was enterred Tuesday at Antioch, after services by Rev. C. A. Riggs and Rev. Lamp-

About two months ago a little son in this home died from the Resolved, That we know none same disease, and the father is but those who have sat in the just recovering from a seige of

This family have our sympathy.

If your child is pale and sicksleeping, it is a sure sign of Resolved; That "The faults of worms. A remedy for these parour brother we write on the asites will be found in WHITE'S sands, his virtues on the tablets of CREAM VERMIFUGE. It not only clears out the worms, but Resolved; That a copy of these it restores health and cheerful-

> Miss Lola Toombs and Thos. Bryan Toombs are the guests of their uncle, J. L. Toombs, at Columbia, Tenn.

> > J. O. STUBBS Dentist La Clede Building, over Brevard's Store

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#### Try Our FRESH MEATS C. H. MOORE

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Presenting EARL WILLIAMS and ANITA STEWART

Written by DONALD I. BUCHANAN and RALPH W. INCE

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CAST

Viola Ruskin, the Girl in the Case Anita Stewart Louise Aardin, Phil Hardin's Daughter -Earle Williams John Ballard, a Worker Who Rises to Fame Mrs. Ruskin, Viola's Mother, -Julia Swayne Gordon Phillip Hardin, a Power in the Finacial World, Wm. Dunn Jas. Hardin, his father, V-Prest. N. Y. & V. R'y Frank Currier

### CRYSTAL THEATRE

#### WILL YEAR OF 1916 BE SUMMERLESS.

ity that the year 1916 will be Ky. summerless. The year 1816, the year after the disastrous end of the Napoleonic wars, had scarcely enough summer to be worth mentioning and the theory seems to be that the terrific bombardments on European battlefields are bound to have a similar effeet upon weather conditions next year.

June of 1816, we are told, was a month of frost and ice. Now England, Ohio and Pennsylvania were covered with snow. June 17 there was a great snowstorm and flocks of sheep were overwhelmed and suffocated. The ice was an inch thick on the Fourth of July and August 20th witnessed a heavy fall of snow. Not until September were normal climate conditions restored.

The notion is that history will repeat itself after the passage of a century and the alarming thought in this connection is that, if the amount of explosives used in Napoleonie wars caused all the derangement of meteorological conditions, the amount used in the present war is likely to keep the temperature at 40 below zero, at least, all next summer. It surely is time for universal disarmament. - Ohio

#### The Next Best Thing To The Pine Forest For Colds Is-

Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey which goes to the very root of cold troubles. It clears the throat and gives relief from that clogged and stuffed feeling. The pines have ever been the friend of man in driving away colds. Moreover the pine-honey qualities are peculiarly effective in fighting children's cold. Remembers that a cold broken at the start greatly removes the possibility of complications. 25c. Adv.

An inch and a quarter of rain fell here Monday, followed by weather cold enough to run in the palm beach and bring out a few overcoats.

Go to the Crystal tonight.

The New Fall



Are Here R. L. BRADLEY

TO LET: At a real bargain, Capt. N. B. Thistlewood, form- WILL SEND VIGOROUS that fine new store building er mayor of Cairo, former Con- MESSAGE TO ENGLISH. known as the Dodds Building, to gressman and one of the best Some of our contemporaries satisfactory tenacts. Apply to known men in Southern Illinois, Judge W. B. Amberg, Hickman, died last week at his home in

# Foot Rest



HOSIERY

We cordially invite the ladies of this community to come into our store and examine the much-talked-about Foot Rest Hosiery, of which we are exclusive distributers.

Every thrifty, woman who appreciates extra value and who knows the shortcomings and disappointments of ordinary qualities, will welcome the opportunity of buying FOOT REST hosiery at poplaur prices.

The finesess, great strength, softness of finish, foot-comfort, and correct styles of FOOT REST long ago convineed us that it represented a far greater value than any other we ever sold.

FOOT REST is recommended to you with confidence that it will give greater comfort, wear longer and insure a more satisfactory service than any other line of hosiery selling at equally popular prices.

### E. R. ELLISON

Hickman, Ky.

THE FOOT REST STORE

It was annonuced by the State Department yesterdty that this tive, the Chicago packers notified government has undertaken to the State Department they would of thousands of American import- arrival of the text of the prize of Europe are withheld from ship- \$15,000,000 worth of their cargoes nent here by the British order in This is expected by the latter part land, spent Saturday night with

The statement by Ambassador Great Britian is certainly in to the position that in order to tary point of view. get these concessions they must attack the order in council itself which established the illegal blockade. These officials say that for this reason it may be necessary to precipitate a diplomatic clash with Great Britain in advance of the transmission of the new note, the language and arguments of which are still being digested by various authorities in the State Department.

volved not only in this vexatious easy to throw other forces across matter of the importers, but in the river and seize the bridgehowever, may have to be taken up roller" can be started. Just separately.

and Scandinavian ports. that Great Britain will recede ders further west through the The effort, however, is to be made and Turkey. Germany is anxious to ward off an attack. HERwill occupy the attention of the can hold the Dardennelles. portant for the next 10 days. The among the warring nations in the that retaliatory measures, wheth- being fought each day and yet Whether the State Department hostilities,

will pursue the issue to the extent ROUTE FIVE NEWS. to which it was carried with Germany, remains to be seen.

Through their local representabring to a head" the grievance not go to Washington until the rs whose goods in neutral ports court decision, which confiscated Mrs. H. W. Howard .- Misses Management of the Mrs. H. M. Misses Management of the Mrs. H. M. Misses Management .- Misses Management .- Misse of the week.

Page that Great Britain holds that no position just at present to of day night with home folks .- A concessions to the importers are fend the United States. An em- number from here attended t involved in the order in council, bargo on shipments to Britain forces State Department officials now would ruin them from a mili Pattie Wilson has returned home

Take Grove's

chill Tonic is equally valuable as a friends here.—The little child of well known tonic properties of QUININE Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Williams is and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives on the sick list .- Mrs. Agnes Wil out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

Official reports from Austrian and German headquarters and dispatches from the Balkan capitals The root of the matter is the show that the long expected Teulegality of the blockade of neutral tonic campaign against Serbia has ports. This is the question in begun. This activity is undoubtthe case of the packers, which, head whence the new "steam where the attempt to cross will From what can be learned, Am- be is unknown. The shortest bassador Page has been instruct route to Bulgaria leads to the Mai Howard was the get a definite answer from notheast corners of Serbia where Great Britain, not only as to nearly 30 miles of Serbia territory what she proposes to do with intervenes between the Bulgarian goods now ready for shipment and Hungarian boundaries. The rom neutral ports to the United difficulties of the mountain coun-States, but as to her defense of try, the absence of railroads and her blockade as affecting Dutch the proximity of the Russian frontier, however, speaks in fav It is not thought by officials or of the old route of the Crusafrom her announced policy of just broad and fertile Morava valley ifying the blockade on the Through this valley run roads to get satisfaction and this quest to re-enforce the Turks so they State Department as most im- present there is no sign of peace position of this government is old countries. Many battles are er taken by Germany or by Great there are many great battles to be Britain, are essentially wrong, fought before the termination of

A meeting began at Reelfoot

Sunday and a very large crowd attended. Rev. I. N. Pencle, o Martin, is assisting Rev. Mayo. Mrs. Hicks and children, of Nash ville, are the guests of Mr. and tie and Laurena Pruett, of Wood-Mr. and Mrs. Hermin Howard. Mrs, Lela Williams spent Satur-Union City fair last week,- Mr after a few weeks visit near Woodland Mills,-Bob McCain, Whenever You Need a Concret Tonic Wife and daughter, Irma, are visiting relatives in Missouri.-Hom-The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless er Jones, of Hickman, is visiting son and son, Rice, spent Thursday night in Union City, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter.-Lowell Howard, of Crystal, spent Monday night with Bob Howard. Ira McCain and Miss Cordin James surprised their many friends by getting married Thurday night, Squire A. E. Caldwell. of Clayton, officiating .- Mrs. El wood Logan and children, of near Jordan, spent Wednesday night with her sister, Mrs. Herman Howard Bnek Escue was in Hickman Wednesday. Miss Hette Miss Bruer, of Clayton, Tuesday aight .- Master Har Wilson is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Dock Kirk of Union City.-Henry Howard, Jr. was in Hickman Wednesday 1. Isiness.

When you have an achey stretchy feeling and you are dull, tired and discouraged it ground of military retaliation, and a railroad line to Bulgaria or chills. You should act quickly is a sign of approaching malaria BINE offers you the help you need. It destroys the malaria germs, drives out all impurities and makes you feel bright and vigorous and cheerful. Price 50 Sold by Hiekman Drug Co. Adv.

> The best goods that money can buy at Bonduant Bros.

Hickman Chapter No. 49 will night (Friday) for the purpose of conferring M. M., P. M. and M. E. M. degrees.

children spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ward en route to their home at Ripley, Tenn.

Jack McDaniel, of Jersey City, N. J., is spending several days with his parents, M. A. Me-Daniel and wife.

FOR SALE: Fine lot of Jersey calves - age 5 months and up. Price right.—A. H. Leet tfc

Men and boys, never think of Store. buying your suits until you have seen Sullivan Bros.

Fine Peaberry coffee only 20c. -Bettersworth.

Mrs. Frank Von Borries arrangd Tuesday evening a surprise dinner and smoker for several friends of her husband, Frank Von Borries, the event being in honor of his (?) birthday. The central figure of the occasion "tumbled" only when the guests swarmed in, but he joined the excellent hostess in showing the stags a good time on "their evening out." meet in called session tomorrow The affair was a most enjoyable one. Resultint hilarity gave birth to some very staggering and monentous questions - some on which all could not agree but it Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Greer and was unanimously greed that Mrs. Von Borries' hospitality and culinary accomplishments are par excellence. Those present: Dr. H. E. Prather, Capt. A. McMakin, Geo. Miltenberger, Col. C. L. Walker, Nim Walker, Atty. T. R. Powell, J. C. Sexton and W. C.

> Remember Oct. 1st is the last day that Doll Coupons will be given with purchases at E. R. Ellison Dry Goods and Variety Cash

Why pay \$10 or \$12 for your boy suits when Sullivan Bros. will sell you the same for one half the



## THE BEST is NONE TOO GOOD for YOU

No man can afford to slight his personal appearance

### Buy Your Clothes Made to Your Measure

Get them to fit well-from the latest fabrics and models, and have the very best tailoring put into them.

This is the kind we give you here.

The Best and the Best only at whatever you want to pay.

### .. Millet & Alexander..

"Where They Fit You Right."

#### PROPER FEEDING WILL PREVENT HOG CHOLERA

il. K. Wright, of the veterifollowing circular letter to the during the fall months. log raisers of the State. Its adincrease in the number of outnumbers and virulenc until the latter part of October or November, when the disease gradually declines. Predictions are that this year will be no exception. and the increase in virulency, of the disease is probably due not so much to the season as to the fact that infection is spread by the extensive shipments of hogs for feeding purposes, and most important, hogs are turned into feed lots to receive a one-sided ration of new corn.

The occurrence of cholera is dependent solely upon the hogs becoming infected with the specifie cholera micro-organism, Practically all hogs are susceptible to the disease when fed balanced rations, but when improperly fed and allowed to become infested with parasites the chance of controlling cholera on exposure is greatly lessened. At this time new corn is beginning to be fed, and care must be exercised or indigestion will result, thus lessening the vitality of the animals, and is exposed to cholera infection, death may follow. New corn should be fed sparingly at first and the amount gradually increased. Never start by feeding it ex-

Should an outbreak of cholera occur, immediately isolate and quarantine the sick hogs. Notify your neighbors so that they may stay away from your hog lots and thus prevent spread of the infection. Get anti-hog cholera serum and inoculate all healthy hogs. Kill the sick hogs and burn the carcasses. No treatment can be relied upon to save one visible sick. Thoroughly clean all pens and yards. Burn the rubbish from the hog lots to afford the sunlight an opportunity to destroy the infection. Disinfect with any of the coal tar dips the inside of the hog houses and all troughs used for feeding. Seat-back.—Bondurant Bros.

ter lime about the hog houses and feed lots. Sanitation is the greatest factor in controlling and preventing cholera, and if practiced nary and experimental station of by all hog raisers will do much to the state college, has issued the prevent the ravages of cholera

"Special bulletins on the convice is both timely and profitable: trol of cholera will be sent to all has been observed that an members of the anti-hog cholera club in the State from time to breaks of hog cholera occurs duritime. The control of hog cholera ing the latter part of August or in every community rests entirely the first part of September and upon the farmers. A friendly cothat the outbreaks increase in operation in employing sanitary measures is essential.

The following cases have been disposed of in police court since rise in the number of outbreaks last report; all of which were charges of breach of the peace; and fines of \$5 assessed; Clifford Holland, Lester King, L. Frost, Fred Ward, Calvin Kagle.

> England is still worrying over a question that Germany settled before the war commenced, whether or not to make all of her able-bodied men fight.

A Washington special says there is a growing demand for paper money. Yes and gold, silver, nickel, copper and even good bank checks.

Gosh, nigger, what's dat you got? A load of de best groceries you eber saw. If dat's the case, I guess dey come from Betters-

Miss Mary Tempa Burnett arrived home Sunday from Nashville after a visit of two weeks with relatives.

We sell the Mayfield Woolen Mills pants cheaper than the othr fellow can buy them. Sullivan

Men, we have 500 pairs of Old Woolen Mills pants, \$2 values; our price 95c.—Sullivan Bros.

Cotton was quoted at \$10.63 in Memphis yesterday —the highest orice since the war started.

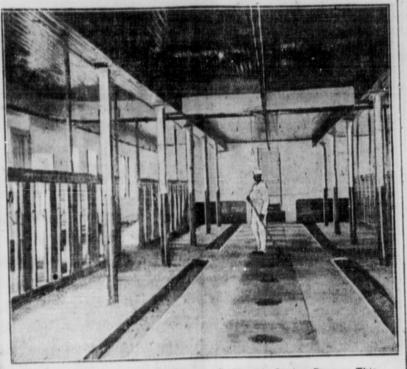
The Empress is a picture show. A good program every daythat's all.

New corn is moving out rapidly Price \$2.50 a barrel.

Vaudeville at the Crystal to-

Satisfaction or your money

### SANITATION IMPORTANT IN DAIRY BARN



Texas Fever Ticks Would Be Out of Place in Such a Barn as This.

use in their daily meals one sort or another of dairy products. Most people use different kinds of dairy prod-

with every meal.

As a general rule the dairy cow supplies us not only with a large age market price for dairy products proportion of the more essential articles of our daily diet, but also with many a delicacy for the table. When we stop to think of it, we remember that all these dairy foods and delicacies come first from the dairy cow. in the form of milk!

Nothing, perhaps, is cleaner or fresh from the healthy dairy cow, if it is properly handled and cared for. On the other hand, there is, perhaps, kind doesn't get into the pails, nothing in the line of foodstuffs that is dirtier, more impure or unwholesome than milk from a filthy cow

(By C. A. BURNS, Oklahoma Experi- | ble into a dirty milk pail by dirty hands of a milker who wears dirty There are few people who do not clothing. It is quite an evident fact that clean butter, cream and cheese cannot be obtained from dirty milk.

The point is this: Mr. Milkman, ucts-butter, cheese, cream or milk. the better class of consumers want clean foodstuffs and are willing to pay a good margin above the averwhich are absolutely pure and clean, and guaranteed to be so.

Dairymen, take a little more time and care in cleaning your stables and cows. Require your milkers to wear clean clothing, wash the cows' udders and such other parts that may need it, and wash their own hands more pure and wholesome than milk before starting to milk. Use buckets with small tops, or partially covered tops, and see to it that dirt of any

Then let your customers know that your methods are sanitary, and see if they will not bear me out in that they which is milked in a dirty, dusty sta- are willing to pay for better quality.

Wow! Cold as the dickens!

Why do you put up with such a nuisance? You don't have to - if you furnish your house with a

# Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater

You build only one fire each winter. It is never out from Fall till Spring.

You get up and dress in rooms warmed with the fuel put in the night

This is not possible with other stoves. Burns anything-soft coal, hard coal

Come in and see this great fire keeper

and fuel saver. See the name "Cole's" on the Cast door

Prices \$10 Up

NEW COUNCIL TICKET.

electiton of city councilmen will

we elect on November the second,

our local laws, spend your money

and manage the city in its every

affair. These men, with proper

assistance and support, can put

Hickman on a high plane socially,

it is within their power to let it, and us, "drag alang" in some way

without leaving a single monu-

ment in commentation of their

It is our understanding and be

again in this capacity. They are

all able, efficient men and have

needs, in our belief, economy of

We need able and competent exec-

neighbors and their fellow tax-

payers, and have the fearlessness

who we sincerely believe are cap-

able, efficient men who, were they

to permit their names to go upon

this November ballot, as council-

men, would give this city an ad-

refuse this office they might be

still all we now think them to be,

we are now certain they possess.

gestion for your closest consider

ation, and if offered only for the

purpose of endeavoring to place

will foster those things that can

place Hickman in line with civie

progress and advancement of the

Ernest Johnson

A. O. Caruthers

H. A. Stonecipher

Dr. C. W. Curlin.

pay me at once or will put ac-

counts in hands of callector. I

H. C. Helm

G. M. Ross

These names are merely a sug-

term of office.



# Hickman Hardware Co.

### MAKE PROFIT IN COCKERELS SOW'S OVERSUPPLY OF MILK

Most Profitable Way to "Swat the Rooster" Is to Caponize Young Males-Operation Is Simple.

The best and most profitable way the young cockerels.

as a difficult operation, but with a on another, therefore we have to treat little practice it can be successfully the sows according to their characperformed by anyone. Full instruc- ter as milkers. tions are generally sent with sets of letin 452, "Capons and Caponizing,"

ile and shows no disposition to fight. ducing feed. The flesh is of high quality, if the

Partridge Cochin.

capon is properly fed. With the same

care and attention the capon will be

worth from 50 to 100 per cent more

there will not be the necessity of keep-

The best cockerels to caponize are

Barred Rocks, Wyandotte, Cochin,

Brahma and Langshan. They should

be caponized when they weigh from

Protect Stock From Flies,

Relief from attacks by flies may be

brought to live stock on the farm by

the use of sprays. The following

spray is suggested by F. L. Washburn,

entomologist of the Minnesota college

Three parts of fish oil and one part

The spraying is best done with a

knapsack sprayer, and it takes only

two or three minutes to spray a steer

or horse. The spray appears to keep

Pruning Dont's.

off all flies for two days.

Don't leave stubs.

Don't use dull tools.

Don't prune with an ax. Don't cut off the lower limbs,

Don't cut off the short spurs.

infertile eggs.

to twelve pounds

of agriculture;

kerosene.

Care Should Be Taken Before Farrowing Time to Give Feed That Will

Sows are like cows; some of them. Heavy feeding produces too light. Most people look upon caponizing much milk on one sow and just right

A sow which produces too much caponizing instruments. However, milk for her pigs should be fed lightanyone interested in the subject can ly for ten days before farrowing time get complete information from Bul- and fed on feed that would not be milk-producing, so that the pigs will of the United States department of be able to take care of all of it. When they become a little older, one can The capon is quiet and easy to han- begin to feed her heavy on milk-pro-

The pigs will then show their good breeding in their growth and the pigs lief that few, if any of the pres- Marie Brevard. in their turn will be apt to raise big litters of choice individuals. Care should be taken therefore to feed her production, and she should be closely

If she is a quiet sow and the pigs failed to absorb all the milk, that left might be taken from her either by putting some larger pigs to suckle her or taking it by hand. But if she is not fed stimulating milk feed for ten days before farrowing it is not likely there will be any trouble,

#### LAYING TWO EGGS PER DAY

Very Unusual Occurrence, But It Does Happen, Says Connecticut Experi-· ment Station.

While it is generally accepted that hens will occasionally lay two eggs a day, the occurrence is very unusual. than the uncaponized cockerel at 1 That it does happen is indicated by the following statement from the egg-

those of the meat breeds, such as the at this season of the year, but two eggs in one day is the record of a White Leghorn pullet. The laying contest does not expect to establish very many layers of this sort, nor one and a half to two pounds and does it anticipate that the few birds should be fed until they weigh eight who do this extraordinary feat will but would certainly lack an interbe able to repeat it very often. As a matter of fact, the records of the first contest held at Storrs show that only four hens laid two eggs in any one day during the entire year, or, in other words, this thing happened once for about each 19,000 eggs that were gathered."

> Turpentine for Worms. An old-time breeder writes to a hog paper that whenever there are intestinal worms suspected in the pigs by their cough or their skins are dry, age. hard and scurvy and ofttimes the worms are found in their droppings, he mixes turpentine in the slop ration, at the rate of one teaspoonful to each 100 pounds of live weight, and finds it an effective remedy. This is simple and cheap and certain.

Feeding Buttermilk. In feeding buttermilk it is well to The highest record among the put a tablespoonful of baking soda The highest record among the put a table pair of buttermilk. This states of the Union in honey product to each pairful of buttermilk. This have to meet my bills and cannot tion is made by California. There is puts it in the right shape for whetno reason, experts say, why every ting the appetites of the pigs, and do so unless you pay me.—Dr. A. state should not produce more honey. gives them good growth.

#### STATE CONVENTION U. D. C. AT FULTON. In a very short time now the

The 19th annual convention of be held. This is an important e- Kentucky Division, U. D. C., met vent in the existence of every at the First Methodist church at city, town and village. The men Fulton yesterday morning for a two day's session,, as guests of will, for two years to come, make Col. Ed Crossland Chapter.

An interesting program was arranged and successfully carred out. The address of welcome was delivered by Mrs. Horace Luten. Tonight, Judge Bunk Gardner, of Mayfield will address the convenmorally annd financially; just as

A number of Hickman ladies are attending the convention, among them being Mrs. T. A. Leldford, Mrs. H. L. Amberg, Mrs. Jessie Dillon, Misses Jessie Outten and ent council will care to serve

The 11 allied mills that have feed that will not stimulate the milk done much to aid and assist this the cutting of the 25 million feet city in all the improvements it of gunstock are complaining of watched after farrowing to see that has undergone within the past the southern walnut not cutting the milk is cleaned out by the pigs. two years. It is not a question of out satisfactory, being too brashy getting better men than they, but and sappy. And as soon as the one of obtaining suitable material contracts already let are comto continue their good work and pleted, they will call all of their to earry it out to it frustition. best agents north, as the northern What the city of Hickman needs timber is far superior. If interis a continuation of the business ested, better see the local agent administration alreadybegun. She at once.

All members of Elm Camp No. management and thorough de- 3, W. O. W., are urged to be partment checks and balances. at the meeting at the court house We need able and competent executives who see their duty to their next Wednesday night. Important business.

Hon. A. O. Stanley, Democratic to express their views. We re- nominee for Governor, spoke at spectfully submit to the citizens Fulton last night. As usual, Mr. of this city the following list, Stanley made a good speech.

> See the new Overland Automobiles in stock.-Hickman Hardware Co., Agts. Fulton county.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Callahan ministration of which we would and Mrs. Clarence Williams were become justly proud. Should they here from Fulton Tuesday.

Free passes to the Crystal Thea tre given by R. L. Bradley with est in our public welfare which purchases at his store.

Mrs. C. H. Moore is visiting relatives in Nashville and attending the fair.

We are the home of the Maythe management of our city's af- field Woolen Mills Pants.-Sullifairs in the hands of men who van Bros. H. D. Robinson has returned

from a short stay at Dawson Springs. Pears and apples for sale, 50e

a bushel. Apply to Strother Rice, R1.

L. W. Carter, of Fulton, was in Hickman on business Tuesday.

Miss Hettie Williams visited in All indebted to me will please Dyersburg Wednerary.

Dixie Robinson is attending the fair in Nashvilie.

\$1 saved \$1 made. See Sullivan

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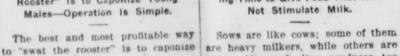


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ing them apart from the hens to get laying contest at Storrs, Connecticut; "Two eggs a week is a better per-formance than the average hen makes

#### CAYCE NEWS.

Mrs. Mattie Milner, of Fulton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Alexander several days last week .-- Mr. and Mrs. Ab Murchison and Mr. and Mrs. B. Walker, of Beelerton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Oliver Sunday .- Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hardy, of Liberty neighborhood, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Asbell Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Johnson and daughter, Miss Eva, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson attended the Union City fair Friday .- Mrs. Hardy, of Crutchfield, spent several days this week with Miss to the tremendous climax of this, Ruth Cloys .- Mrs. Jim Jones, of near Hiekman, spent a few days of last week with Mrs. E. A. Mayfield.-Miss Alice Cook, of near Moscow, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Oliver and family. -Pearle Campbell and brother, Presley, of Missouri, are visiting friends at College. their grandfather, B. J. Oliver .-Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keiser, of Chicago, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fowler.-Miss ly know this secret. Teni Griffey, of Clinton, visited a few days last week with Mr. and girl-who marries the rich boy Burns visited in Oakton Tuesday. -Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Keiser, of Union City, visited in Cayce Wednesday .-- P. J. and Walter Oliver were in Fulton Saturday .- Dr. C. A. Wright and Joe Wall were in Fulton Tuesday. - Etheleen Oliver was in Fulton Saturday. -Mrs. Andrew Burrus and daughters, Louise and Rachel, of Woodland Mills, visited Miss Pearle er's counterpart. Johnson Saturday .- Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bondurant and children and Mrs. E. A. Mayfield motored to Fulton Thursday.— H. P. John. pose him as a murderer. son, S. E. Johnson and Gid Brans ford were in Hickman Saturday .-Mrs. Sue Bransford and Mrs. B. McClellan spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Gid Bransford and church.

Fulton. .

Miss Marie Brevard left Tuesday for Fulton to visit Mrs. Horace Luten.

Woolen Mills pants, \$2 values; our price 95c.—Sullivan Bros.

Mrs. Webb and daughter, Miss Lottie, of Mayfield, spent Monday with Miss Marie Brevard.

R. G. Stone and wife returned home Wednesday after a visit to cardboard before your eyes and his mother, Mrs. Ella Stone, of pile themselves up on the wreck Portageville, Mo.

Mrs. Callie Tobias and daughter, Louise, of Memphis, returned home Saturday after a visit to her aunt, Mrs. C. A. Holcombe.

Mesdames T. A. Ledford and J. A. Thompson and Miss Jessie Outten left Wednesday for Fulton where they will attend the U. D. C. state convention.

Miss Thelma Baltzer left Tuesday for Nashville where she will story of its quality as a Feature attend school at Ward-Belmont. Film. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. W. H. Baltzer, who will spend a few days there.



#### CRYSTAL TOMORROW. A GREAT RY. WRECK.

Everything we would say about he story of the Juggernaut is so pale and poor and thin compared the Colossus of railway dramasthat we shall give only an outline of the plot.

Two young men - one the briliant son of poor parents -the other the dissolute heir of a great railway king, become

One thinks he has accidently killed a drunken rowdy in saving the other's life-they two on-

Both fall in love with the same Mrs. A. W. Fowler.-Mrs. Henry only after his chum has withdrawn from the race because of his poverty.

> Years later one becomes president of his father's old railroadthe other a righteous, fearless district attorney. Both again worship the same girl-daughter of the old sweetheart of both- one with a father's deep affection; the other because she is her moth-

The district attorney bitterly attacks the railroad in the courts. His former chum threatens to ex-

And now-imagine the girl on a train approaching a bridge which cannot possibly stand its weight. Both men know this. Both are rushing madly by autoattended the meeting at the M. E. mobile and motor boat to inter-

You see all this. See the girl's sweet face at the window of the Engraved cards.—Courier of flying train—feel the swaying of the automobile as it skids desperately around sharp turns- and Leslie Skinner spent Sunday in the bounding of the motor boat slashing through rough waters.

Both men and the train come crashing into the picture at the same instant-too late!

For a moment that seems an Men, we have 500 pairs of Old eternity, you feel yourself sitting almost under the tottering trestle as the enormous engine-a mass of whirling steel-leaps thundering and quivering into the empty air and falls shricking to the swirling river.

The big coaches crumple like -their passengers floundering

and struggling in the debris. Again you see the girl-Again

her father Again-THE MAN-

The car of Juggernaut rolls on. tend. But who are the victims? Come and see this tremendous

That it was Vitagraphed by Ralph W. Ince, under the person- arrangement to be with us. al supervision of Albert E. Smith and J. Stuart Blackton, tells the

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# New Fall Hat at Leibovitz

Just opened, and now ready for your inspection, a beautiful showing of Men's Fall Hats, in soft and stiffs, and all the shapes and colors of the season.

One of the leading Fall hats, which is especially popular, is the pearl grey with black and colored bands. You'll be interested in this style, as it's sure the hit of the season. Your appreciation of styles, and the well known lines I handle, has made this the popular Hat Store of Hickman.

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#### M. E. CHURCH NOTICE.

9:45 a. m. Sunday School. We are growing right along now. Make one more next Sunday. 11 a. m. preaching.

7:30 p. m. union service at the to Frank Usher and wife, of Presbyterian church, Bro. Hutchi- New York. son will preach for us.

Friday evening of this week in East Hickman we will have ser- daughter, Bess, spent Thursday vice at 7:30. Let everyone at- in Union City.

We will begin a series of services at the Methodist church the irst Sunday in October. We would like for you to make your

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

The teaching service of the church meets promptly at 10 a.m., Prof. Gabby, Supt.

Preaching by pastor at 11 a.m. Wednesday night prayer serice at 7:30 p. m. Ladies Aid will give a surprise

at the parsonage Friday night at 8 p. m. All members of church are cordially invited to be pres-Union services will be conduct-

ed at the Presbyterian church Sunday night, preaching by the pastor of the Baptist church. Subject "Love." A cordial invitation is extended to the general public to attend this service.

The pastors are very hopeful as to the outlook of these meetings as a wide-spread interest is being felt, possibly it is going to be the time for a great religious awakening in our city.

C. O. Hutchison, pastor.

10e-no more, no less-is the price at the Empress.

J. W. Morris and Miss Janie Happy motored to Fulton Sun-

Earl Boaz and wife and J. K. Wood and daughter, of Fulton, were in town Sunday.

Guy Ward and wife left Sunday for St. Louis where they will make their future home.

We sell the Mayfield Woolen Mills pants cheaper than the other fellow can buy them.-Sullivan

Hugh Saunders, wife and baby, of Holly Springs, Cal., returned home Monday after a visit to Gene Bettersworth and wife.

liss Effie Bruer Monday evening rom 7:30 to 10. Rook and emproidering were enjoyed throughout the evening. At the close deicious cream and cake were enoyed. Those present were: Misses Rozella Adkisson, Mar-

Blanche Binford, Carmen Crawford, Kate Hackett and Janie Happy. The club meets next week with Miss Leah Barry. Miss Nelle Rogers has return-

guerite Fuqua, Bess Thompson,

Mrs. J. A. Thompson and

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suits; Sullivan Bros. sells them at half price.

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#### The C. L. and S. Club met with A WONDERFUL ANTISEPTIC. THE FARMER AND

Germs and infection aggravate ailments and retard healing. assistance by overcoming conges-The \$1.00 size contains six times leaving the table he handed as much as the 25c.

Mrs. Ella Henderson and Miss Mildred Ramage spent Saturday

Take a look at our pant's window and you will know why we Household goods of every desell more pants than all the stores in town.-Sullivan Bros.

### THE HOTEL.

A prosperous farmer was in Stop that infection at once, Kill the city and learning that a leadthe germs and get rid of the ing hotel was a liberal purchaser poisons. For this purpose a sin- of his products he determined gle application of Sloan's Lini- practice reciprocity by buying his ment not only kills the pain but dinner at the popular and prosperdestroys the germs. This neutra- ous hotel. Putting a bright new lizes infection and gives nature half dollar in his right hand vest pocket he took a seat in the gortion and gives a chance for the geously decorated dining room free and normal flow of the and told the full-dress waiter to plood. Sloan's Liniment is an e- bring him a good dinner, roast ed home after an extended visit thergency doctor and should be turkey, potatoes, baked beans, apkept constantly on hand.25e-50c. ple sauce, pie and tea. Upon half dollar to the attentive wait er, who received it with a polite and profound bow as he put before the farmer a little check which read: "Baked apples, 25 cents; roast turkey, \$1; potatoes, 25 ents; baked beans, 60 cents; pic, 15 cents; tea, 25 cents; total \$2.50. The farmer persued it, paid the bill and passed out into the office in a reflective mood.

Motioning the head clerk to one side he said: "I have just had dinner with you. It cost me \$3, but I enjoyed it, and have learned a heap. If you will cash this check for \$6, which I got for a ton of potatoes delivered at our depot yesterday, I will stay to supper. I have looked over your price list and have been thinking. I worked three years cultivating corn, cutting hay in the sun and getting up winter mornings at 5 o'clock to feed the same to a steer sold your butcher for seven cents a pound dressed. Now you quote it, roasted, 60 cents a half pound portion, steak at 70 cents to \$3, and even hash at 50 cents, or a general average of over \$1 per pound, after treating it fewer nours in your kitchen than I spent on my farm fitting it for market. Pork and mutton show about the same contrast of figures. That turkey which my wife spent six months fattening and sold for 12 cents a pound you sell me a slice of at \$1 a slice, with a single potato at 15 cents, purchased in Michigan at 25 cents a bushel, while the beans I got roundshouldered raising and sold for 75 cents a bushel, bring 70 cents a soup dish full in your dining room. The robustness of your profits excites my envy. I have concluded that I got started wrong in life when my father put me on the farm. I want to do better by my boys and have a favor to ask of you. I have intended to send them to the university, but have changed my mind. The first opening you have here let me know and I will send them to learn the hotel busi-

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We are receiving new Fall and Winter Goods daily, and now our store is full of the newest and best thisngs on the market today. Our prices can and will save you money. Come into our store and let us show you where you where you can get the best goods for the least money.

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We have a very large stock of new things in

Silks, Woolen Goods, Suitings

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Whether you buy those priced at 10c per yard or \$2.00 per yard, we can assure you that you will get nothing but new, clean goods.

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Men's, Ladies', Misses and Children's Shoes in great variety. Our stock is in fine condition and you can exactly whaf you want here, and at prices less than elsewhere.

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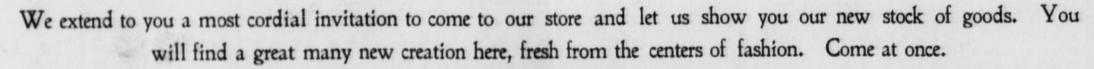
#### Suits, Coats and Skirts

Suits,	priced	from	\$10.	00	to	\$27.50
Coats	"	"	5.	00	to	25.00
Skirts	. "	"	3.	00	to	7.50

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Good big stock at pleasing prices and in a very great variety, from

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#### A CLEAN KNOCKOUT FOR FRANK HARDY.

Is Back At His Old Job Again. Feels Stronger In Spite of Recent Experience.

ASK HIM HE'LL TELL YOU.

Cairo, Ills., Sept. 22, 1915.

One of the most astounding results Tanlae has ever accomplish- medicine, Tanlae. ed, even in its remarkable record, is that to which Frank Hardy, the

severe kidney and bladder trouwas neglected; I tried all sorts of it relatives for a few days. treatments. I even had an X-Ray taken of my kidneys but was told that nothing could be done for me; my case was pronounced incurable.

Finally my father heard of Tanlac and the good it was doing quickest service. Bondurant Bros. and telephoned to Hinckell's drug store for a bottle. That was the best day's work he ever did in his life. I've only taken that one bottle but it has put me on my feet again. I'm a stronger man than I've been for years. My appetite is good, the kidney and bladder trouble seems to have gone and I gain strength rapidly. So much so, in fact, that I have reported for work again at the Foundry and have my old job back. I tell you its great to be well again and I feel that I owe so much to this great remedy that I want all my friends to know it. Now this is all facts."

Never in the history of Cairo has there been anything that has caused so much interest as the sale of this new remedy, Tanlac. People that never thought of buying a proprietary medicine are calling each day at Hickman Drug Co. and taking Tanlae home with them. You can hear people everywhere talking about it -on the streets, in the street cars

Tanlae is getting to be a by-word, NEWTON-SMITH The sale of Tanlac in Hickman Drug Co., has broken all records, under the personal direction of J. L. Cooper's assistants; each week it increases until it is becoming a difficult problem to keep it in stock. Mr. Cooper's assistants are daily meeting great crowds of people who want to learn more about the merits of the master

Mr. Whittemore, N. C. & St. L. move. well known employe of the Clark traveling freight agent informs us Danford Foundry Co., testifies to- the rate on coal into Hickman day. Mr. Hardy, who resides at from Tennessee points, is to be 517 eleventh street, Cairo, and only \$1.25 per ton on his lines, as has lived in the city for some stated in last week's Courier. time, enjoys a reputation for This road could have, had they strict integrity which makes his chosen to do so, raised the rate statement very convincing. Here from \$1.20 to \$1.50 per ton, as the Commerce Commission held For fifteen years I have had this rate was not exorbitant.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Harding and through. I was utterly incapa- baby, of Kansas City, Mo., are stock throughout this section are ciated for work-down in bed in visiting Henry Clay and family. Rosco Stone and wife went to

Highest quality, lowest prices,

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Ready for Inspection R. L. BRADLEY

Chas. A. Newton, of East Hickman, and Miss Nora Smith, of

Congratulations.

#### FLIES AMONG CATTLE.

Many farmers residing in the bottoms below Hickman are being forced to bring their mules and horses out from that see tion to the highlands on ac count of swarms of small flies that are annoying them. known as baldheaded flies, and the slightest hope of relieving me Portageville, Mo., Sunday, to vis- annoy the stock until they are almost distracted. They seem to of the Menel Box Co. and a de- far achieved warrant the asser- more rigid the law regulating the be in greater swarms than seen serving young man of West Hick- tion that black cotton is coming carrying of concealed weapons, W. F. Montgomery and wife here before for years. In the bot- man, has been licensed to preach. in the near future. w. F. Montgomery and wild here before for years. In the both returned Monday from an extend-toms there are also swarms and He will fill the pulpit at the West Research to Savannah ger" is still inexcusably weak. returned Monday from an extend tonis there are also swarms and the swarms of the wooly-looking Hickman Baptist church next Sun-day night. Monday he will leave stretch of the imagination be con-small flies, called "Woollies" by hover over ponds and lakes.

#### BEECH GROVE NEWS.

Rev. H. S. Morgan has returned to Murray after a two weeks visit to his daughter, Mrs. J. P Giles.-Clarence Perry, of Dresden, visited Aubra May last week. Mattie Gammons has returned to Newbern after a visit to W. O. Stafford.-J. W. Smith made a business trip to Lake county last week. Bob Watson was in Mark ham one day last week .- O. D. Cole and daughter, Mattie May, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Osburn, of Tiptonville, last week.

Hugh R. Wynne, one of the big cotton factors of Memphis, was the guest of S. L. Dodds Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. C. H. Moore expects to leave Sunday for Nashville to attend the fair.

Fine Peaberry coffee only 20e -Bettersworth.

#### SUN BROS. PROMISE BIGGER AND BETTER SHOW.

West Hickman, were united in merican public one of the best all of Olar, S. C., who has succeeded pastor, Rev. J. B. Housley, is marriage Monday night at the round performances each season, in producing cotton which ranged drawing good crowds and much home of and by Rev. J. B. Hous the Sun Brothers' Shows have re- in color from snow white to deep good is being accomplished. Sev-Charlie is a son of Jas. Newton, show, a complete trained wild possibly that black cotton, sought and the ordinance of baptism will the well known East Hickman animal tourney. This comprises a for ages by spinners and manufac- be administered next Sunday. The merchant, and the bride is a score of amazing dumb actors of turers, is about to become a meeting will probably continue daughter of Joe Smith. Both the all kinds, including elephants, reality. contracting parties are popular in lions, tigers, kangaroos, baboons, That the statements of Brab- Service at night only. the social circles in which they leopards, camels, dromedaries, sea ham is no idle dream is borne lions, etc. No woman, man or out in concrete fashion by the rechild can afford to miss this won- ceipt in Savannah of samples of GUNS AND LIQUOR. derful display of animals subju- his colored cottons. The exhibit kindness was never more surely where it has occasioned general or splendidly illustrated.

afternoon and night. The much ed seed selection extensively, and ing. advertised free exhibitions will in four years has secured in regube offered for review on the show lar order from the Egyptian seed law on these two matters is weegrounds at 12:30 p. m.



RAISES COLORED COTTON.

Not content with giving the A- to be achieved by A. W. Brabham, man church, conducted by the cently added to their already fine olive green. The planter asserts eral conversions have resulted

interest and comment.

a cream, tan, yellow, green, light fully weak, and in most communibrown, olive green and bronze. He ties is little enforced. There has John W. Jenkins, an employe is sanguine that attainments thus been some effort recently to make

well next Monday.

back.—Bondurant Bros.

This paper until Jan. 1, 1916, only 25c.

Moving Pictures every afternoon and night.-Crystal.

Fresh meats and vegetables. Bondurant Bros.

#### INTERESTING REVIVAL.

Results remarkable seem about The revival at the West Hickduring the remainder of the week.

The terrible tragedy which ocgation. These animals are won- has been framed and hung on the curred at Hickman last week by derfully trained and the power of wall of the Cotton Exchange, which three were killed ought to make the legislature of Kentucky conscious of the fact that the law The Sun Brothers' Shows will The seed used by Brabham in in this state affecting earrying exhibit at Hickman, Oct. 7, giv- his experiments were those of concealed weapons and the illicit ing two complete performances, Egyptian staple. He has practic-sale of whiskey needs strengthen-

> We confess with shame that the but the law against the "bootleg-

the people of that section, that for the seminary to pursue his fused with tinges in cotton which concealed deadly weapons, and might be the result of exposure the illicit sale of whiskey in the or weather conditions. Neither is first instance a felony and prothere any suspicion that dyes vide those convicted thereon shall have been used to produce the work during the period of their conviction on the public roads. Such a law would, if enforced, The Social Embroidery Club protect the community, and bring met with Mrs. Jno. Adams Mon- about a better condition of day afternoon. Sherbert and cake public roads. We have now, in were served. Those present were: mind, several communities afflict-Mesdames Earle Edmonds, W. E. ed with chronic boot-leggers, and Caldwell, Ed Adams, Bruce who divide their time about Powell, Will Hammond, Ernest equally out of jail, selling whis-Creason, Jno. Pyle, W. F. Ed-key, and in the jail serving time monds, W. N. Phebus, W. H. in payment for fines. The county Caldwell, Jim Laird, B. W. Posey, or state pays 75 cents for each Miss Myrtle Flippin. Visitor, day the boot-legger is confined.

Mrs. Ella Meacham, of Ripley. We think it would help reduce Will meet with Mrs. W. H. Cald- the crime and the cost of keeping up our roads to have them spend Satisfaction or your money ways.—Mayfield Maxim. their time at work on the high-

> New country sorghum 60e a gallon at E. B. Prather's, Its fine, too.

Nothing better than our "Magnolia" flour. Try it.-Bondurant Bros.

### NOW HER FRIENDS HARDLY KNOW HER

But This Does Not Bother Mrs. Burton, Under the Circumstances.

Houston, Texas.-In an interesting letter from this city, Mrs. S. C. Burton which severed the heel and caus-been exported with the result writes as follows: "I think it is my duty ed amputation just above the anthat prices for ordinary equines to tell you what your medicine, Cardui, kle. the woman's tonic, has done for me.

I was down sick with womanly trouble, To Drive Out Malaria me any good. I lingered along for three what you are taking, as the formula is or four months, and for three weeks, I printed on every label, showing it is was in bed, so sick I couldn't bear for Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form.

The Quinine drives out malaria, the any one to walk across the floor.

My husband advised me to try Cardui, the woman's tonic. I have taken two bottles of Cardul, am feeling fine, gained PAY YOUR TAXES. 15 pounds and do all of my housework. Friends hardly know me, I am so well."

If you suffer from any of the ailments trouble to become chronic. Begin taking places. Cardui to-day. It is purely vegetable, Its ingredients acting in a gentle, natural 20 way on the weakened womanly constitu-You run no risk in trying Cardui. It has been helping weak women back to health and strength for more than 50 years. It will help you. At all dealers.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' dvisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special safructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home restanget for Wenne." sent in plain wrap.er. 169-8

#### DAD AND SIS.

By Dad we mean all the dad-

By Sis we mean all the girls. -not merely father and daugh- ried into the home of Garland ter-but chums.

the lovers that Sis has none love grene developed, and in spite of her better than Dad.

heart there is a picture of the Grundy Seay, of Germantown, girl he courted when he was : young man. That picture is of Mother, and Sis probably looks a good deal like Mother used to lived with his sister, Miss Annie look, so Dad can't help but love Seay. Other members of the fam

Dad is a fellow who brings home the bacon. Dad is the man who prays and hopes for good luck and health to the end, so that he can take care of Mother Zion at two o'clock Wednesday. and Sis.

Down in the bottom of Sister's heart there is a picture of her

looks and acts like Dad. with Dad.

Dad knows many things that

Sis ought to know, especially about young men.

Sis can make many of Dad's hard days easier by being his chum.

Itf a boy's best friend is his mother, a girl's best friend is her just use the Heinz Pickling Vinfather.

Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure. The worst cases, no matter of how long standing. are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00

The reason a girl can play tenns all afternoon and dance half the night is because it would the Courier this week, it is an inmake her ankles big if she stood vitation to subscribe. in front of the kitchen sink and washed the dishes.

FOR SALE Two dozen thor- worth. oughbred white leghorn pullets, 6 white leghorn roosters, 4 thoroughbred R. I. Red roosters. All just five months old. Will sell at a bargain.—C. E. Barney, box 68.

#### WATER VALLEY MILLER LOSES LEFT FOOT.

R. W. Thompson, the popular

Iron builds up the system. 50 cents

State, county and school taxes for 1915 are due now. Please pay so common to women, don't allow the promptly and books are at usual

Bailey Huddleston, Sheriff and tax collector.

#### GEORGE SEAY KILLED.

Injuries from a runaway accident caused the death on Tuesday night, Sept. 14, of Geo. Seay.

the Hoskins hill, near Friendship, the buggy struck the wheel of a passing wagon. The horse became KEEPS THE FLIES OFF. frightened and Mr. Seay tried to jump from the buggy. His leg was caught in the wheel and badly torn and twisted, besides being Dad and Sis ought to be friends broken at the knee. He was car-Hoskins where medical aid was Dad is a good fellow. Of all summoned at once. Sunday ganthe herioe efforts made to save Down in the bottom of Dad's him, he died two days later. Dr. Tenn., came Sunday and remaine with his brother.

Mr. Seay was a bachelor and ily who survive him are Mrs. Cheat Hodes, Mrs. Belle Gossum and Morrison Seay, of Fulton, Jim Seay, of Hickman.

The funeral was held at Mt Clinton Gazettee.

ideal Husband-and very often he more than sixty years they have Hickman, Ky., that an election So Sis ought to get acquainted in Europe, and they say it is a Tuesday, Nov. 2, 1915, same being the old fashioned method of pourprelude to "The Battle of Armageddon," which will be fought for the purpose of determining Dad and Sis ought to clasp hands and face the world togeth around Jerusalem, when all the the desire of the voters upon the nations of the world will be en- following issue. gaged. They declare that Christ will return while this battle is in of Hickman issuing bonds a progress.-Ex.

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#### NEARLY HALF A MILLION AMERICAN HORSES IN WAR.

Todate 425,000 horses and mules Water Valley miller and manu- have been shipped out of the facturer of Thompson's Self-Ris- United States for the European ing Flour, had the misfortune beligerents and their purchase Tuesday afternoon of losing his has been a big boom in the markleft foot. He was breaking in a et for medium class horses, Denew hand in the lumber milling partment of Agriculture officials department and in giving the man said recently. Government exsome instructions, his back turn- perts have been watching the reced to the big circle saw, his foot ords closely and they find that came in contact with the saw very few high bred horses have have increased. Most of the horses have gone to England, but many shipments have been made And Build Up The System to France and some to Italy. The Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know the supply is not being seriously destroyed the supply in the supply in the supply is not being seriously destroyed the supply in the supply in the supply is not being seriously destroyed the supply in the supply in the supply is not being seriously destroyed the supply in t pleted, government officials estimating that there are today approximately 21,000,000 horses and 4,000,000 mules in this country.

### Cough and Cold Remedy.

When seasons change and colds appear-when you first detect a cold after sitting next to one who has sneezed, then it is that a tried and tested remedy should be faithfully used. "I never wrote a testimony before, but, I know positively that for myself and family, Dr. King's New Disand family, Dr. King's New Discovery is the best cough remedy we ever used and we have tried Last Friday while driving down them all." 50e and \$1.00. Adv.

Lloyd Brown tells us that a good remedy to keep the flies off stock is a mixture, half and half of coal oil and fried meat grease or lard, rubbed on the stock with a rag. This should be applied to the legs and neck of the animal. He assures us that it is not injurious.

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#### NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given to the The adventists claim that for qualified voters of the City of been predicting the present war will be held in the said city on

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> the house wearing a greasy wrapper that looks like something the daily vocation. eat brought in, and her hair will be stringy and her face dirty. And then the door bell will ring and an agent who is selling a perfeetly useless 5-cent dingus for 25 cents will tip his hat when mother opens the door and the agent will smile and say: "Young ady, could I speakto your mother for a moment, please?" And her mother will get so swelled up over her youthful appearance that she will purchase six of the dinguses and thank the agent for calling. Flattery is great lady

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly Malaria.enriches the blood, and builds up the sys-tem. A true tonic. For adults and children, 50c

American exports of war supplies for July reached nearly \$50, 000,000, indicating that the plants converted into munitions factories are getting into full swing. The exports of gunpowder increased nearly a million and a half over phis.

A man can always think of a dozen excuses for passing up shaving when he gets up in the morning. But he can't think of a single excuse for passing a drink.

Shelf hardware of all kinds. Stark & Co.

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#### County School Notes

By Miss Virginia Luten PROPERTY PROPERTY PROPERTY PROPERTY AND ADDRESS.

A supply of books to be used in the moonlight schools has just been received from the Kentucky Illiteracy Commission. L. O. O. M. NOTICE. Teachers and others organizing moonlight schools will please call at the office for the books needed. These books are to be supenroll in these schools.

The County Board of Education has ruled that after July 1, 1916, tator, C. M. Reynolds, Secy. no teachers will be employed in the rural schools unless they hold first class or State certificates.

In addition to the three acres of land purchased for the new Consolidated School, this district has been given a five year lease Every Home Needs A Faithful on a beautiful shady plot of ground adjoining. The term opened with a large enrollment and every thing seems favorable for an excellent year's work.

> The box supper at Stubbs was quite enjoyable and a nice little sum of money raised for the benefit of the school.

The high schools of the county reported the following enrollment for the present term: Fulton 138, Hickman 59, Crutchfield 12, Sylvan Shade 8, Jordan 4.

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Here's my guarantee! Ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and take a spoonful tonight. If it doesn't start your liver and straighten you right up better than calomel | and without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to

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What say you of a two days' road working some time between the first and the middle of October? Make it apply to all roads, and let each neighborhood organize and improve the worst places in their neighborhood road. Mothers will be working around Then all reap some benefit, and no one will miss the time from his

Dave Bright is now local editor on the Charleston (MO.) Enterprise-Courier. He is an old Hickman boy, but has been residing at East Prairie, Mo.

FOR SALE: The Mrs. M. E. Rose property on Carroll street near J. T. Stephens home. For particulars see J. R. Brown or R. R. Burnett.

The Hopkinsville Kentuckian says: Patrick Henry is a deputy sheriff at Hickman, Ky., and Geo. Washington lives at Springfield,

FOR SALE: Three choice lots in Henry Addition. Two of them joins Size lot 50x150 feet. -The Courier.

A good shower fell here late Saturday afternoon. The rain guage showed a half-inch rain-

H. E. Curlin returned Monday from a two weeks stay in Mem-

The Liberty Bell will be in Paducah Nov. 20 and Louisville Nov. Missouri Hams and Breakfast

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True Tagg paint-none better-



Hickman Lodge No. 1294, Loyal Order of Moose will meet first and third Tuesday nights at their plied free of cost to those who new club rooms at 8:00 p. m. All members are requested to attend each meetings .- A. M. Shaw, Dic- in the house, office or store ad-

> Hickman Lodge No. 761, F. & A. M.meets in regular communication on the second and fourth Monday nights in each month. Visiting brothers always welcomed .- Austin Voorhees, Master, H. N. Cowgill, See'y.

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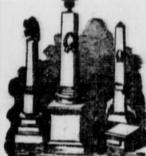
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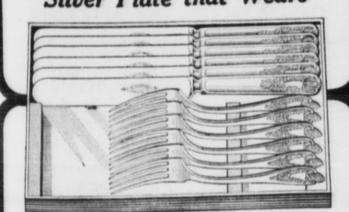
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#### COUNTY SCHOOL FAIR HICKMAN, NOV. 6th.

Following is a list of articles and contests for the county school fair, to be held at Hickman

Grade I.

Doll apron. Any hand made article. Writing. Drawing.

25 yard dash, girls under ears of age. 25 yard dash, boys under 10 ears of age.

Grade II.

Doll dress (cotton material). Any hand made article. Writing.

Drawing. 25 yard dash, girl under 12 ears of age. 25 yard dash, boys under 12

ears of age. Grades III and IV.

Laundry bag. Model harrow. Letter. Composition book. Copy book. Drawing.

#### Grades V and VI.

Domestic science apron and ap, machine made, Hemstitching. Model chicken coop.

Wagon single tree, 34 inches in ength. Copy book. Drawing.

Composition book. Six button holes.

Grades VII and VIII.

Plain shirt waist or middy, machine made. Magazine stand. Handkerchief. Model Hay Frame.

Crochet, 3 prizes. Embroidered pillow case. Composition book. Drawing.

#### All Grades but not High School.

Copy book. Model farm. Model porch swing. Collection of native woods. Match holder. Three ears of corn. Lamp stand Flower stand. Six Samples of crochet. Tatting. Fancy apron. Embroidered Towel. Embroidered center piece. Rag rug. Product map of U.S. Product map of Kentucky. Map of Fulton county. Essay on good roads. Canned fruits.

Jelly. Soda Biscuit. Beaten Biscuit. Candy.

Layer cake, pupils under 12. Layer cake, pupils over 12. Loaf cake, pupils under 12. Loaf cake, pupils over 12. Shoe race, pupils 10 to 14. Potato race, pupils 10 to 14.

Broad jump. Pole vault.

Embroidery.

Layer cake.

Preserves.

Drawing.

not a lower.

Composition.

Bread.

Salad.

Dress, machine made.

Any article of wood work.

Rules.

Angel Food cake.

Athletic contest.

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50 yard dash. Best attendance from any rural school, considering size of school and distance.

Best song by any one room school.

Best song by any school with

we or more teachers. Best original drawing illustratng any familar child's story, pu oils under 10 years of age. Water color.

#### For High School Only.

Fancy towel. Tatting. Handkerchief. Corset cover. Petticoat. Boudoir cap. Sofa pillow. Crochet.

more for me than anything else, and I had the best physician here. I was so weak and nervous that I could not do my work and suffered with pains low down in my right side for a year or more. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-

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table Compound, and now I feel like a different person. I believe there is nothing like Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for weak women and young girls, and I would be glad if I could influence anyone to try the medicine, for I know it will do all and much more than it is claimed to do." - Mrs. CLARA FRANKS, R. F. D. No. 1, Maplecrest Farm, Kasota, Minn.

Women who suffer from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should be convinced of the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to re-All articles must have been store their health by the many genuine and truthful testimonials we are constantly publishing in the new. pers.

Pupils may enter the contests with those of a higher grade than the one to which they belong, but to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, All work must be done by pu-Every exhibit must have name and held in strict confidence.

#### NEW DEMONSTRATION FARM AT MARTIN.

In addition to the five demonstration farms now operated by the N. C. & St. L. Ry., arrangements have just been made for a station, when officers discovered new demonstration farm at Mar- that "she or he," who was mastin, Tenn., which will be in cultivation next year. At present the company operates demonstra- linois Central train to take "him" tion and experiment farms at to Hiekman, Ky. Decherd, Sewanee, Murfreesboro, Tullahoma and Dickson, the comcreased to 425 next year.

in these sections is apparent. Another advantage which has been trouble,-Cairo Citizen, noted particularly at Tullahoma of pupils, teacher, grade and and Dickson, is that the cultivation of these farms by the road has caused property value in these sections to increase every Other articles not listed may be materially.

The farmers have been shown what the soil will do under the proper tillage, and many of the hand unless otherwise specified in farmers about the demonstration farms of the company are following the methods employed to advantage. The work being carried on at these farms is of such character that the small farmer may follow without a heavy out-

> Plles Cured in 6 to 14 Days Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Rase and Rest. 50c.

#### FRED TAYLOR ARRESTED.

A revolver is a nickel-plated substitute for bravery, which has Diehlstadt Tuesday night by Sheriff J. O. King and is now in jail awaiting the October term of pluck of a grasshopper a 100 yard each and makes him more deadly three weeks ago in Buffalo Chute. it, and then calmly await the end. han a Sioux Indian. There was

Taylor, who is a boy of 17, and not altogether bright, has told many conflicting stories in regard to his sister's death. He now says that he and Pearl were playing in ast hordes of 16 year old boys the water when she started from who use their skulls for a dime him slipped and fell and he tried lovel book case, roam the streets to get her out but could not and with eigarettes in their face and this frightened him and he ran portable cannon in their hip pockaway and left her. At the coroets, producing obituaries with the ner's inquest, however, when acskill and enthusiasm of a cholera cidental drowning was agreed upmicrobe; while it is at all times on by the jury, Taylor then stated possible to meet a personal enemy that he knew nothing of her who has been chasing you for a death.-Charleston (Mo.) Repubweek, and who is reluctantly com- lican. pelled to defend himself when he

#### "I Don't Feel Good" That is what a lot of people tell us. Rexall Orderlies will do the trick and make you feel fine.

We know this positively. Take one tonight. Sold only by us, 10 cents. The Hickman Drug Co.

#### The Empress today.

O. D. Cole and daughter, Mattie Miss Thula Irvine and Dean Lee, of Hickman county, were united in marriage last Sunday.

> The day for holding the Demoeratic primary in Obion county has been changed from Dec. 4, 1915, to Nov. 20.

**TOO ILLTO WORK** 35 ACRE FARM FOR SALE: All in cultivation; 10 acres in imothy, 5 room house, barn, well, te. Located in Obion county. an make easy terms.-The Cou-

FOR SALE: A 4-room residence and about one acre ground, located in the west end of town, above overflow. Fine view and nice surroundings. Stable and other improvements. No city taxes. A oargain.-The Courier.

The frequent mentioen of the abmarine torpedo makes this fact of interest: The torpedoes used in the British navy are of three diameters-14 inch, 18-inch and 21-inch-and they vary in length rom 16 to 18 feet. As soon as a orpedo hits its mark it explodes automatically. Every torpedo ired in action represents an expenditure of from \$3000 to \$4000. Often the submarine misses its target and when this is the case ts cost is wasted.

The Courier is mailing out several hundred extra copies of the paper, which contains the opening chapter of McCutcheon's great story-"A Fool and His Money." This is a standard, high-class, clean piece of fictioncosting \$1.50 in book form. It you take advantage of our special 25c offer, you will get the whole story, as the paper will come to your address until Jan. 1, 1916, for that sum. Either mail coin or 2c stamps. We cannot promise to supply back numbers-so sub scribe today.

#### FEMININE YOUTH" CAUGHT BY POLICE.

Charles Pickleheimer, aged 17, was arrested Wednesday evening at the Illinois Central passenger querading in feminine clothing was awaiting the arrival of an II-

It was said that he was going to Hickman to meet a friend, the bined acreage under cultivation two of them going on to the nearbeing 375 and with the farm at est recruiting station, where they Martin the acreage will be in-intended to join the army. Pickleheimer claims that several of his That the work being done by enemies were seeking to prevent, the road in demonstrating the his leaving town and that he apossibilities of the soils in the dopted the feminine attire to outseveral localities is having a de- wit them. It succeeded in its cided stimulus to farm endeavors real purpose, but also succeeded in ausing Pickleheimer some little

> If You are troubled with heartburn, gases and a distressed feeling after eating take a wall Dyspepsia Tablet before and after each meal and-you will obtain prompt relief. Sold only by us, 25e

The Hickman Drug Co.

At the present writing, says in exchange, we have no desire to hurl ourselves into Abraham's bosom, but if we ever do, we wouldn't lean against a doublebarrel shot gun and pull the trigger, as many do. Neither would we chop our head off with an amateur guillotine, eat a square meal of rough on rats, blow out the gas, drink concentrated lye, sit down on the lap of a buzzsaw, smoke a cigarettee, or call a Kentuckian a liar or a poor Fred Taylor was arrested at judge of whiskey. We could simply get out an edition of our paper in which we would strive to the every best of our ability to circuit court, charged with drown- print the plain, square-toed truth ing his sister, Pearl Taylor, some about people, as we understand

> Recently several hundred pietures have been made and will be enlarged and in a short while these peictures will be placed in the waiting rooms of the several stations along the line of the N. C. & St. L. Ry., while these will improve the appearance of Hickman's waiting room-the depot will not be much credit to the pictures.

> The Hickman county Fiscal Court is advertising for bids on road improvemeent work on the county road between Clinton and Moscow, via Oakwaad church This work is to be done by the county, assisted by state aid.

T. A. Stanley, of Arlington, and Miss Belle Lester, a popular young lady of Columbus, were married last Monday evening.

Leonard Roos, of Clinton, and Miss May Haynes, of east of Mos cow, were married by Judge J. J. Flatt, at Clinton.

Jno. C. Jackson, of Clinton, and Miss Sallie Hollingsworth, of near Columbus, were married Sept. 12.

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Here are the opening chapters.



PROLOGUE.

"Who is she?"

"How did she get there?"

These are the questions the Fool asked of the caretaker of ought to be a doctor or a preacher, but the venerable castle of that high handed old robber baron, the could succeed as a writer if I set my first of the Rothhoefens.

And these are the questions the interested reader starts to Episcopalians. ask and keeps on asking while Author McCutcheon develops short story appeared in a magazine of one of the most mysterious, humorous and sprightly stories that ever came from his pen.

'Who is she?"

"How did she get there?" Read on and you will find much entertainment as well as the answer to these pertinent

CHAPTER I.

I Make No Effort to Defend Myself.

AM quite sure it was my Uncle Kilas who said that I was a fool. if memory serves me well he relieved himself of that conviction in the presence of my mother-whose brother he was-at a time when I was least competent to acknowledge his wisdom and most arrogant in asserting my own. I was a freshman in college, a fact-or condition perhapswhich should serve as an excuse for both of us. I possessed another uncle, ntally, and while I am now convinced that he must have felt as Uncle Rilas did about it, he was one of those who suffer in stience.

I assume, therefore, that it was Uncle Rilas who orally convicted me, an assumption justified to some extent by putting two and two together, after the poor old gentleman was laid away for his long sleep. He had been very emphatic in his belief that a fool and his money are soon parted. Up to the time of his death I had been in no way qualified to dispute this ancient theory. In theory, no doubt, I was the kind of fool he referred to, but in practice ! was quite an untried novice. It is very hard for even a fool to part with something he hasn't got. Not until Uncie Rilas died and left me all of his money was I able to demonstrate that dead men and fools part with it.

In any event Uncle Rilas did not leave me his money until my freshmen days were far behind me, wherein Hes the solace that he may have outgrown an opinion while I was going through the same process. At twentythree I confessed that all freshmen were insufferable and immediately aftinto the world to convince it that senlors are by no means adolescent.

My uncle's original estimate of meas a freshman, of course-was uttered when I at the age of eighteen picked out my walk in life, so to speak. After considering everything I decided to be a literary man-a novelist or a playwright, I hadn't much of a choice between the two, or perhaps a journalist. Being a journalist, of course, was preliminary, a sort of makeshift. At any rate I was going to be a writer. My Uncle Rilas, a hard headed customer, who had read Scott as a boy and the Wail Street News as a man without being misled by either, was scornful. He said that I would outgrow it; there was some consolation in that. He even | circumstances. admitted that when he was seventeen he wanted to be an actor. There you are! said he.

I argued that novelists make a great deal of money and playwrights, too, for that matter. He said in reply that an ordinarily vigorous washerwoman could make more money than the average povelist, and she always had a stocking without a hole to keep it in. which was more to the point.

Now that I come to think of it, it was Uncle Rflas who oracularly prejudged me and not Uncle John, who was by way of being a sort of literary chap himself and therefore lamentably unqualified to guide me in any course

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wisely and too well.

My mother felt in her heart that I she wasn't mean. She was positive I mind to it. She was also sure that I or perhaps even a bishop. We were delay.

When I was twenty-seven my first considerable weight, due to its advertising pages, but my Uncle Rilas didn't read it until I had convinced him that the honorarium amounted to \$300. Even then I was obliged to premise him a gimpse of the clock when I

in course of time my first novel appeared. It was a love story. Uncle Rilas read the first five chapters and then skipped over to the last page. Then be began it all over again and sat up nearly all night to finish it. The next day he called it "trash," but invited me to have uncheon with him at the Metropolitan club and rather noisily introduced me to a few old cronies of his.

A month later be died. He left me a fortune, which was all the more staggering in view of the circumstance that had seen me named for my Uncle John and not for him.

It was not long afterward that I made a perfect fool of myself by falling in love. it turned out very badly. I can't imagine what got into me to want to commit bigamy after I had already proclaimed myself to be irrevocably wedded to my profession. Neverticless I deliberately coveted the experience and would have attained to it no doubt had it not been for the young woman in the case. She would have none of me, but, with considerable independence of spirit and, I must say, noteworthy acumen, elected to wed a splendid tooking young fellow who clerked in a jeweler's shop in Fifth avenue. They had been engaged for several years, it seems, and my swollen fortune failed to disturb her sense of fidelity. Perhaps you will be interested enough in a girl who could refuse to share a fortune of something like \$300,000 (not counting me, of course) to let me tell you briefly who and what she was. She was my typist -that is to say, she did piecework for me as I happened to provide substance for her active fingers to work upon when she wasn't typing law briefs in the regular sort of grind. Not only was she an able typist, but she was an exceedingly wholesome, handsome and worthy young woman.

Somehow I was able to attribute the flasco to an inborn sense of shyness erward took my degree and went out that had always made me faint hearted, dilatory and unaggressive. No doubt if I had gone about it roughshod and fiery I could have played hob with the excellent jeweler's peace of mind. to say the least

Still, some men, no matter how shy and procrastinating they may be-or reluctant, for that matter-are doomed to have love affairs thrust upon them. as you will perceive if you follow the course of this narrative to the bitter

In order that you may know me when you see me struggling through these pages, as one might struggle through a morass on a dark night, I shall take the liberty of describing myself in the best light possible under the

I am a tallish sort of person, moderately homely and not quite thirty-five. I am strong, but not athletic Whatever physical development I possess was acquired through the ancient and honorable game of golf and in swimming. In both of these sports I am quite proficient. My nose is rather long and inquisitive, and my chin is considered to be singularly firm for one who has no ambition to become a hero. My thatch is abundant and quite black. So there you are. Not quite what you would call a lady killer or even a lady's man,

I fancy you'll say. You will be surprised to learn, however, that secretly I am of a rather rowhatsoever, especially as he had all he mantic, imaginative turn of mind. glaziers, joiners, scrubwomen and

Since earliest childhood I have consorted with princesses and ladies of high degree-mentally, of course-and my bosom companions have been knights of valor and longevity

At thirty-five I am still unattached and, so far as I can tell, unloved. For the past year I have done little or no work. My books are few and far between. My best work is done when the madding crowd is far from me.

A month ago, in Vienna, I felt the plot breaking out on me, very much as the measies do. at a most inopportune time for everybody concerned, and my secretary, more wide awake than you'd imagine by looking at him, urged me to coddle the muse while she was will

It was especially annoying coming, as 't did, just as I was about to set off for a fortnight's motorboat trip up the Danube with Elsie Hazzard and ber stupid busband, the doctor.

The fourth day of our delectable excursion brought us to an ancient town whose name you would recall if I were fool enough to mention it and where we were to put up for the night. On the crest of a stupendous crag over-Hanging the river, almost opposite the town, which isn't far from Krems, stood the venerable but unvenerated castle of that high handed old robber baron, the first of the Rothhoefens.

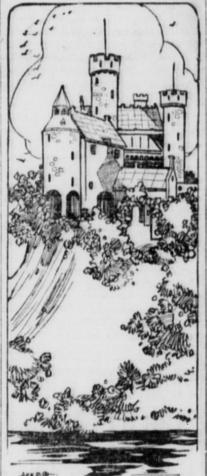
We picked up a little of its history while in the town and the next morning crossed over to visit the place. Its antiquity was considerably enhanced by the presence of a caretaker who would never see eighty again and whose wife was even older. Their two sons lived with them in the capacity of loafers and, as things go in these could do to keep his own wolf at bay rapid times of ours, appeared to be even older and more sere than their sides teaching good English loved it parents.

It is a winding and tortuous road that leads up to the portals of this huge old pile. Halfway up the hill we paused to rest, and I quite clearly remember growling that if the confounded thing belonged to me I'd build a could be president of the United States funicular or install an elevator without

> The next day instead of continuing our delightful trip down the river we three were scurrying to Saalsburg, urged by a sudden and stupendous whim on my part and filled with a new interest in life.

I had made up my mind to buy the

At the end of three days I was the sole owner and proprietor of a feudai stronghold on the Danube, and the joyous Austrian who had owned it was a little farther on his way to the dogs, a journey be had been negotiat-



The Venerable Castle of That High Handed Old Robber Baron, the First of the Rothhoefens.

ing with great ardor ever since coming into possession of an estate once valued at several millions.

To make the story short, the Hazzards and I returned to Schloss Rothhoefen in some baste, primarily for the purpose of inspecting it from dungeon to battlement. An interesting concession on the part of the late owner (the gentleman hurrying to eatch up with the dogs that had got a bit of a start on him) may here be mentioned. He included all of the contents of the castle for the price paid, and the deed, or whatever you call it, specifically set forth that I, John Beilamy Smart, was the sole and undisputed owner of everything the castle held.

Our second and more critical survey of the lower floors of the castle revealed rather urgent necessity for extensive repairs and refurbishing, but 1 was not dismayed. With a blithesome disregard for expenses I dispatched Rudolph, the elder of the two sons, to Linz with instructions to procure artisans who could be depended upon to ando the ravages of time to a certain extent and who might even suggest a remedy for leaks.

My friends, abhorring rheumatism and like complaints, refused to sleep over night in the drafty, almost paneless, structure. They came over to see me on the ensuing day and begged me to return to Vienna with them. But, full of the project in hand, I would not be moved. With the house full of carpenters, blacksmiths, masons, locksmiths, tinsmiths, plumbers, plasterers,

chimney sweeps, I felt that I couldn't go away and leave it without a controlling influence.

Just as they were leaving my secretary and my valet put in an appearance, having been summoned from Vienna the day before. I confess I was glad to see them. The thought of spending a second night in that limitiess bedchamber, with all manner of night birds trying to get in at the windows, was rather disturbing, and I weicomed my retainers with open arms.

My first night had been spent in a huge old bed, carefully prepared for occupancy by Herr Schmick's frau. 1 knew there was a ceiling, for I had seen its beams during the daylight bours, but to save my soul I couldn't imagine anything so far away as it seemed to be after the candles had been taken away by the caretaker's wife, who had tucked me away in the bed with ample propriety and thoroughness combined.

Twice during that interminable night I thought I heard a baby crying. So it is not unreasonable to suppose that I was more than giad to see Poopendyke, my secretary, clambering up the path with his typewriter in one hand and his green baize bag in the other, followed close behind by Britton, my valet, and the Gargentuan brothers bearing trunks, bags, boxes and my rolf clubs.

"Whew?" said Poopendyke, dropping wearily upon my doorstep.

My secretary is a youngish man with thin, stooping shoulders and a habit of perpetually rubbing his knees together when he walks.

"It is something of a climb, isn't it?" said I beamingly.

"In the name of heaven, Mr. Smart, what could have induced you to"-He got no farther than this, and to my certain knowledge this unfinished reproof was the nearest he ever came to openly convicting me of asininity.

"Make yourself at home, old fellow," said I in some haste. I felt sorry for him. "We are going to be very cozy here."

"Cozy?" murmured he, blinking. "I haven't explored those apper regions," I explained nervously, divining his thoughts. "We shall do it together

in a day or two." "It looks as though it might fall down if we jostled it carelessly," he

remarked, having recovered his breath "I am expecting masons at any minute," said 1, contemplating the unstable stone crest of the northeast turret with some uneasiness. My face brightened suddenly. "That particular section of the castle is uninhabitable, I am told. It really doesn't matter if it collapses. Ah, Britton! Here you are, I see. Good morning.'

Britton, a very exacting servant. looked me over critically.

"Your coat and trousers need pressing, sir," said be. "And where am i to get the hot water for shaving, sir?" "Frau Schmick will supply anything

you need, Britton," said I, happy on being able to give the information. "It is not I as needs it, sir," said he,

feeling of his smoothly shaved chin. "Come in and have a look about the place," said I, with a magnificent sweep of my arm to counteract the feeling of utter insignificance I was experiencing

A day or two later the castle was swarming with workmen. The banging of hammers, the rasp of saws, the spattering of mortar, the crashing of stone and the fumes of charcoal crucibles extended to the remotest recesses The tower of Babel was being reconstructed in the language of six or eight nations.

Poopendyke, in great distress of mind, notified me on the fourth day of rehabilitation that the cost of labor as well as living had gone up appre ciably since our installation. In fact it had doubled. He paid all of my bills, so I suppose he knew what he was talking about.

"You will be surprised to know, Mr. Smart," he said, consulting his sheets. "that scrubwomen are getting more here than they do in New York city. and I am convinced that there are more scrubwomen. Today we had thirty new ones scrubbing the loggia on the gun room floor, and they all seem to have apprentices working under them. The carpenters and plasterers were not so numerous today. I paid them off last night, you see. It may interest you to hear that their wages for three days amounted to mearly \$700 in our money, to say nothing of materials and breakage."

"Breakage?" I exclaimed in surprise. "Yes, sir, breakage. They break nearly as much as they mend. We'llwe'll go bankrupt, sir, if we're not careful."

I liked his pronoun. "Never mind," I said; "we'll soon be rid of them."

"By the way," he said, "old man Schmick and his family haven't been paid for nearly two years. They have put in a claim. The late owner assured them they'd get their money from the next"-

"Discharge them at once," said I. "We can't get on without them," protested he. "They know the ropes, so to speak, and, what's more to the point, they know all the keys. Yesterday 1 was nearly two hours in getting to the kitchen for a conference with Mrs. Schmick about the marketmen. In the first place, I couldn't find the way, and in the second place all the doors are locked."

"Please send Herr Schmick to me in the-in the"- I couldn't recall the name of the administration chamber at the head of the grand staircase, so I was compelled to say: "I'll see him

"If we lose them we also are lost," was his sententious declaration. I belleved him. We kept the Schmicks. On the fifth day of our occupancy

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#### A Fool And His Money.

Britton reported to me that he had devised a plan by which we could utilize the tremendous borse power represented by the muscles of those lazy giants. Endolph and Max. He suggested that we rig up a huge windlass at the top of the incline, with stout steel cables attached to a small car which could be hauled up the cliff by a hitherto wasted human energy, and as readily lowered. It sounded feasible and I instructed him to have the extraordinary milway built, but to be sure that the safety device clutches in the cog wheels were sound and trusty.

That evening, after the workmen had filed down the steep looking for all the world like an evacuating army, I rought a few moments of peace and quiet in the small balcony outside my bedroom windows. My room was in the western wing of the custie, facing the river. The eastern wing mounted even higher than the one in which we were tiving, and was topped by the officst watch tower of them all. We had not attempted to do any Cork over in that section as yet, for the simple reason that Herr Schmick couldn't find the keys to the doors.

Suddenly I found myself staring as if stupefied at the white figure of a woman who stood in the topmost balcony of the eastern wing, fully revealed by the last glow of the sun and sparently as deep in dreams as I had from the instant before.

#### CHAPTER II.

I Defend My Property. OR ten minutes I stood there staring up at her, completely bewildered and not a little shaken. My first thought had been of ghosts, but it was almost instantly dispeiled by a significant action on the part of the suspected wraith. She turned to whistle over her shoulder and to snap her fingers peremptorily, and then she stooped and picked up a rather justy chow dog, which prompt ly barked at me across the intervening space, having discovered me almost at once, although I was many rods away and quite snugly enseenced among the shadows. The lady in white muzzled him with her hand, and I could almost imagine i heard her reproving whispers. After a few minutes she apparently forgot the dog and lifted ber hand to adjust something in her hair. He again barked at me, quite feroclously for a chow. This time it was quite plain to her that he was not barking at the now shadowy moon. She peered over the stone balustrade

Vastly exercised. I set out in quest of Herr Schmick, marshaling Poopendyke as I went along, realizing that I would have to depend on his German, which was less builting than mine and therefore more likely to dovetail with that of the Schmicks, neither of whom spoke German because they loved it, but because they had to, be ing Austrians. We found the four Schmicks in the vast kitchen.

and an instant later disappeared from

view through the nigh, narrow win-

"Herr Schmick," said I, "will you be so good as to inform me who the dickens that woman is over in the east wing of the castle?"

Woman, mein berr?" He almost dropped his keys. "A woman in a white dress, with a

dog."

"A dog!" he cried. "But, mein herr, dogs are not permitted to be in the castle.

"Who is she? How did she get

there?" "Heaven defend us, sir! It must

have been the ghost of"-"Ghost, your granny!" I cried, re lapsing into English. "Please don't beat about the bush, Mr. Schmick. She's over there in the unused wing. which I haven't been allowed to penetrate in spite of the fact that it belongs to me. You say you can't find the keys to that side of the castle. Will you explain how it is that it is open to strange women and-and dogs?"

"You must be mistaken, mein herr," he whined abjectly. "She cannot be there. She- Ah, I have it! It may have been my wife, Greteil Have you been in the east"-

"Nonsense!" I cried sharply. "This won't do, Mr. Schmick. Give me that

bunch of keys. We'll investigate." The four Schmicks wrung their hands and shook their heads and then, repairing to the scullery, growled and grumbled for fully ten minutes before deciding to obey my commands. In the meantime I related my experience

to Poopendyke and Britton. "That reminds me, sir," said Britton, "that I found a rag doll in the courtyard yesterday, on that side of the building, sir-I should say castle, sir."

"I am quite sure I heard a baby crying the second night we were here, Mr. Smart," said my secretary nerv-

"Come!" said I finally, grabbing the keys from the old man's unresisting hand. "And, Schmick, if that dog bites I'll hold you personally responsible. Do you understand?"

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Two abreast we filed through the long, vaulted halls, Rudolph carrying a gigantic lantern and Max a siedge. We traversed extensive corridors, mounted tortuous stairs and came at length to the sturdy oak door that separated the east wing from the westa buge, formidable thing strengthened by many crosspieces and studded with rusty bolt heads. Padlocks as large as horseshoes, corroded by rust and rendered absolutely impracticable by age, confronted us.

"I have not the keys," said old Conrad Schmick sourly. "This door has not

been opened in my time. It is no use." "It is no use." repeated his grisly sons, leaning against the moldy walls with weary tolerance.

"Smash those padlocks, Max," I commanded resolutely.

Very reluctantly Max bared his great arms, spit upon his hands and, with pitiful look at his parents, prepared to deal the first blow upon the ancient padlock. But the padlock merely shed a few scabs of rust and rattled back into its customary repose

"See!" cried Max, triumphantly. "It cannot be broken.

"It is a very fine lock," cried old Conrad, with a note of pride in his I began to feel some pride in the

thing myseif. "It is, indeed," I said. "Try once more, Max." It seemed to me that be struck with

a great deal more confidence than before, but without result. "Give me the hammer," I said in

desperation. Max surrendered the clumsy, old fashioned instrument with a grin and I motioned for them all to stand back. Three successive blows with all the might I had in my body my choler rose to heights hitherto un known, I being a very mild mannered, placid person and averse to anything savoring of the tempestuous. I delivered a savage and resounding thwack upon the broad oak panel of the door, regardless of the destructiveness that might attend the effort. If any one had told me that I couldn't splinter an oak board with a sledge hammer at a single blow I should have laughed in his face. But as it turned out in this case I not only failed to split the panel, but broke off the sledge handle near the head, putting it wholly out of commission for the time being as well as stinging my hands so severely that I doubled up with pain.

The Schmicks fairly glowed with joy! Afterward Max informed me that the door was nearly six inches thick and often had withstood the assaults of huge battering rams, back in the dim past when occasion induced the primal baron to seek safety in the east wing, which, after all, appears to have

been the real, simon pure fortress. As we trudged back to the lower halls, defeated, but none the less impressed by our failure to devastate our stronghoid, I was struck by the awful barrenness of the surroundings. There suddenly came over me the shocking realization-the "contents" of the castle, as set forth rather vaguely in the bill of sale, were not what I

had been led to consider them. "Herr Schmick," said i, abruptly haiting my party in the center of the hall, "what has become of the rngs that were here last week and where is that pile of furniture we had back

Old Conrad was not slow in answer-

ing. "The gentlemen called day before yesterday, mein herr, and took much away. They will return tomorrow for the remainder."

"Gentlemen?" I gasped. "Remain-

der ?" "The gentlemen to whom the berr count sold the rugs and chairs and

chests and"-"What!" I roared. Even Poopendyke jumped at this sudden exhibition of wrath. "Do you mean to tell me that these things have been sold and carried away without my knowledge

or consent? I'll have the law"-Herr Poopendyke intervened. "They had bills of sale and orders for removal of property dated several weeks prior to your purchase, Mr. Smart. We had to let the articles go. You surely remember my speaking to you about

"I don't remember anything," I snap-

why. I bought everything that the castle contained: This is robbery! What the dickens do you mean by"-

Old Conrad held up his hands as if expecting to pacify me. I sputtered out the rest of the sentence, which really amounted to nothing.

"The count has been selling off the lovely old pieces for the past six months, sir. Ach, what a sin! They have come here day after day, these furniture buyers, to take away the most priceless of our treasures, to sell them to the poor rich at twenty prices. I could weep over the sacrifices. 1 have wept, haven't I, Gretel? Eh, Rudolph? Buckets of tears have I shed. mein herr Oceans of them. Time aft. er time have I implored him to deny these rascally curlo bunters, these

bloodsucking" "But listen to me," I broke in. "Do you mean to say that articles have been taken away from the castle since I came into possession?"

"Many of them, sir. Always with proper credentials, believe me. Ach, what a spendthrift be is! And his poor wife! Ach, Gott, how she must suffer! Nearly all of the grand paint ings, the tapestries that came from France and Italy hundreds of years ago, the wonderful old bedsteads and tables that were here when the castle was new-all gone! And for mere songs, mein herr-the cheapest of songs! 1-1"-

"Please don't weep now, Herr Schmick," I made haste to exclaim. seeing tachrymose symptoms in his blear old eyes. Then I became firm once more. This knavery must cease or I'd know the reason why "The next man who comes here to cart away so much as a single piece is to be kicked out. Do you understand? These things belong to me. Kick film into the river By Jove, I'd the t wring that rascal's neck! A count:

"Ach, he is of the noblest family in all the land!" sighed old Gretel. "His grandfather was a fine man." I contrived to subdue my rage and disappointment and somewhat loudly returned to the topic from which we were drifting

"As for those beastly padlocks, shall have them flied off tomorrow. I give you warning. Conrad, if the keys are not forthcoming before noon tomorrow I'll file 'em off, so help ma!"

They are yours to destroy, mein herr, God knows," said he dismaily. "It is a pity to destroy fine old padlocks"-

"Well, you wait and see," said I

His face beamed once more. "Ach, I forgot to say that there are padlocks on the other side of the door, just as on this side. It will be of no use to destroy these. The door still could not be forced. Mein Gott, how thankful I am to have remembered it in

"Confound you, Schmick! I believe you actually want to keep me out of that part of the castle!" I exploded.

The four of them protested manfully, even Gretel. "I have a plan, sir." said Britton. "Why not place a tall ladder in the courtyard and crawl in through one of the windows?"

"Spiendid! That's what we'll do!" cried enthusiastically. "And now let's go to bed! We will breakfast at 8. Mrs. Schmick. The early bird catches the worm, you know.

"Will you see the American ladies and gentlemen who are coming tomorrow to pick out the"

"Yes, I'll see them." said I, compressing my tips. "Don't let me oversleep,

"I shan't sir." said be

But I did. "Get up, sir, if you Britton repeated the third please." time. "The party of Americans is beow, sir, rummaging about the place." "Where is Poopendyke?" I cried, leaping out of bed.

"Mr. Poopendyke is in despair, sir. He has tried to explain that nothing is for sale, but the gentlemen say they are onto his game. They go right on yanking things about and putting their own prices on them and reserving them.

"I'll-I'll put a stop to all this," I grated, seeing red for an instant.

"And the ladies, sir! There are three of them, all from New York city, and they keep on saying they are completely overjoyed, sir. Your great sideboard in the dining room is to go to Mrs. Riley Werkheimer, and the hall seat that the first baron used to throw his armor on when he came in from"-

"Great snakes!" I roared. "They haven't moved it, have they? It will

fall to pieces!" "No, sir. They are piling sconces and candelabra and andirons on it, regardless of what Mr. Poopendyke says. You'd better hurry, sir. Here is your collar and necktie"-

"I don't want 'em. Where the dickens are my trousers?" His face fell. "Being pressed, sir.

God forgive me "Get out another pair, confound you, Britton! What are we coming too?" He began rummaging in the huge

clothespress, all the while regaling me with news from the regions below. "Mr. Poopendyke has gone up to his

room, sir, with his typewriter. The young lady insisted on having it. She squealed with joy at seeing an antique typewriter, and he-he had to run away with it. pon my soul he did.

I couldn't help laughing. "And your golf clubs, Mr. Smart. The young gentleman of the party is perfectly carried away with them. He says they're the real thing, the genuine sixteenth century article. They are a bit rusted, you'll remember. I left him

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out in the courtyard trying your brassie and midiron, sir, endeavoring to loft potatoes over the south wall. I succeeded in hiding the balls, sir. Just as I started upstairs I heard one of the almost made me drop this thing." new window panes in the banquet hall smash, sir, so I take it he must have important."

sticed his drive a bit." "Who let these people in?" I demanded in smothered tones from the depths of a sweater I was getting into in order to gain time by omitting a collar.

"They came in with the plumbers, sir, at half past 8. Old man Schmick tried to keep him out, but they said they didn't understand German and walked right by, leaving their donkeys in the roadway outside. "Couldn't Rudolph and Max stop

them?" I cried as my head emerged. "They were still in bed, sir. I think they're at breakfast now.

"Good Lord!" I grouned, looking at

my watch. "Nine thirty! What sort of a rest cure am I conducting here?" We hurried downstairs so fast that I lest one of my bedroom slippers. It went clattering on ahead of us, making a shameful racket on the bare stones, but Britton caught it up in time to save it from the clutches of

the curio vandals. Two gentlemen wearing fedoras were standing in the middle of the great hall discussing the merits of a dingy old spinet that had been carried out of the music room by two justy porters from the notel.

As I came up I heard one of the strangers say to the other:

Well, if you don't want it I'll take My wife says it can be made into a writing desk with a little"-

"I beg your pardon, gentlemen," said I, confronting them. "Will you be good enough to explain this intrusion?" They stared at me as if I were a servant asking for higher wages. The speaker, a man with a bristly mustache and a red necktie, drew himself up haughtily.

"Who are you?" he demanded, fixing me with a glare.

#### CHAPTER III. The Real Owner.

KNEW at once that he was the kind of an American I have come to hate with a zest that knows no moderation-the kind that makes one ashamed of the national melting pot. I glared back at him.

"I happen to be the owner of this place, and you'll oblige me by clearing

"What's that? Here, here, none of mean business, but you won't get anywhere by talking like"-

"There is nothing for sale here," of nerve to come bolting into a private house"-

"Say." said the second man, advancing with a most insuiting scowt, "we'll understand each other right off the reei, my friend. All you've got to do is to answer us when we ask for prices. Now, bear that in mind, and don't try any of your high and mighty tactics on us.'

"Just remember that you're a junk dealer and we'll get along splendidly," said the other in a tone meant to to assume that he sat in this seat, becrush me. "What do you ask for this ing an old man unused to difficult stairthing?" tapping the dusty spinet with his walking stick.

It suddenly occurred to me that the situation was humorous

"You will have to produce your references, gentiemen, before I can discuss anything with you," I said, after swallowing very hard. (It must have been my pride.)

They stared. "Good Lord!" gasped the bristly one, blinking his eyes. 'Don't you know who this gentleman is? You you appear to be an American. You must know Mr. Riley-Werkheimer of New York.

"I regret to say that I have never heard of Mr. Riley-Werkheimer. I did not know that Mrs. Riley-Werkheimer's husband was living. And may I ask who you are?"

"Oh. I am also a nobody!" said be, with a wink at his purple jowled companion. "I am only poor old Rocksworth, the president of the"-

"Oh. don't say anything more, Mr. Rocksworth!" I cried. "I have heard of you. This fine old spinet? Well, it has been reduced in price. thousand dollars, Mr. Rocksworth."

Ten thousand nothing! I'll take it at \$75. And now let's talk about this here hall seat. My wife thinks it's a fake. What is its history, and what sort of guarantee can you"-

"A fake!" I cried in dismay. "My dear Mr. Rocksworth, that is the very hall seat that Pontius Pilate sat in when waiting for an audience with the first of the great Teutonic barons, The treaty between the Romans and the Tentons was signed on that table over there, the one you have so judiciously selected, I perceive. Of course you know that this was the Saxon seat of government. Charlemagne lived here with his court.

They tried not to look impressed, but rather overdid it.

"That's the sort of story you fellows always put up, you skinflints from Boston. I'll bet my head you are from Boston," said Mr. Rocksworth shrewdly

"I couldn't afford to have you lose your head, Mr. Rocksworth, so I shan't take you on," said I merrily. "Don't get fresh now," said he stiffly.

Mr. Riley-Werkheimer walked past me to take a closer look at the seat. almost treading on my toes rather than give an inch to me.

"How can you prove that it's the genuine article?" he demanded curtly. "You have my word for it, sir," I said quietly.

"Pish tush!" said be. Mr. Rocksworth turned in the direc-

tion of the banquet hall.

"Carrie," he shouted, "come here a minute, will you?"

"Don't shout like that, Orson," came back from the porcelain closet. "You

"Well, drop it and come on. This is

I wiped the moisture from my brow and respectfully put my clinched fists into my pockets.

A minute later three females appeared on the scene, all of them dusting their hands and curling their noses in

"I never saw such a dirty place," said the foremost, a large lady who couldn't by any circumstance of fate have been anybody's wife but Rocksworth's. "It's filthy! What do you

"I've bought this thing here for seventy-five. You said I couldn't get it for a nickel under a thousand. And,

say, this man tells me the hail seat here belonged to Pontius Pilate in"-"Pardon me," I interrupted, "I

merely said that he sat in it. I am not

trying to deceive you, sir."

"And the treaty was signed on this table," said Mr. Riley-Werkhelmer. He addressed himself to a plump young lady with a distorted bust and a twenty-two inch waist. "Maude, what do you know about the Roman-Teutonic treaty? We'll catch you now, my friend," he went on, turning to me. "My daughter is up in ancient history. She's an authority."

Miss Maude appeared to be racking her brain. I undertook to assist her. "I mean the second treaty, after the

fall of Nuremburg," I explained. "Oh," she said, instantly relieved. "Was it really signed here, right here in this hall? Oh, father, we must have that table!"

"You are sure there was a treaty, Maude?" demanded her parent accusingly.

"Certainly," she cried. "The Teutons ceded Alsace-Lorraine to"-

"Pardon me once more," I cried, and this time I plead guilty to a blush, "you are thinking of the other treatythe one at Metz, Miss Riley-Werkheimer. This, as you will recall, antedates that one by-oh, several years.'

"Thank you," she said, quite condescendingly. "I was confused for a moment. Of course, father, I can't say that it was signed here on this table as the young man says. I only know that there was a treaty. I do wish you'd come and see the fire screen I've found"-

"Let's get this out of our system that sort of talk, my friend! We're first," said her father. "If you can here to look over your stuff, and we show me statistics and the proper proof that this is the genuine table. young man, I'll"-

"Pray rest easy, sir," I said. "We said shortly. "And you've got a lot can take it up later on. The facts are" "And this Pontius Pilate seat," in

terrupted Rocksworth, biting off the end of a fresh cigar-"what about it? Got a match?"

"Get the gentleman a match, Britton," I said, thereby giving my valet an opportunity to do his exploding in the pantry. "I can only affirm, sir, that it is common history that Pontius Pilate spent a portion of his exile here in the sixth century. It is reasonable

"Buy it, Orson," said his wife, with authority. "We'll take a chance on it. If it isn't the right thing we can sell it to the secondhand dealers. What's the price?"

"A thousand dollars to you, madam." said I. They were at once suspicious. While they were busily engaged in looking

the seat over as the porters shifted it

about at all angles I stepped over and

ordered my workmen to resume operations. "Here!" roared Mr. Rocksworth. "Stop this beastly noise! What the deuce do you mean, sir, permitting

these scoundrels to raise the dead like this?" I moved forward apologetically. "They are raising the dead. The place

is fairly alive with dead rats and"-"Good Lord!" gasped Riley-Werkheimer. "We'll get the bubonic plague here."

"Well, let's move on upstairs," said Rocksworth. Addressing the porters, he said: "You fellows get this lot of stuff together, and I'll take an option on it. I'll be over tomorrow to close the deal, Mr.-Mr.- Now, where is the old Florentine mirror the count was telling us about?

"The count?" said I, frowning. "Yes, the real owner. You can't stuff me with your talk about being the proprietor here, my friend. You see, we happen to know the count."

They all condescended to laugh at me. I don't know what I should have said or done if Britton had not returned with a box of matches at that instant.

Almost simultaneously there appear ed in the lower hall a lanky youth of eighteen.

"Say, these clubs are the real stuff, all right, all right. They're as brittle as glass. See what I did to 'em. We can have 'em spliced and rewound, and I'll hang 'em on my wall. All I want is the heads anyhow."

He held up to view a headless midiron and brassie and triumphantly waved a splendid cleek. My favorite clubs! I could play better from a hanging lie with that beautiful brassie than with any club I ever owned, and, as for the iron, I was deadly with it.

He fit a cigarette and threw the match into a pile of shavings. Old Conrad returned to life at that instant and stamped out the incipient blaze. "I shouldn't consider them very good

clubs, Harold, if they break off like

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that, said his mother.

"What do you know about clubs?" be snapped, and I at once knew what class he was in at the preparatory

If I was ever like one of these, said I to myself, God rest the sage soul of my Uncle Rilas!

The situation was no longer humor ous. I could put up with anything but the mishandling of my devoted golf clubs.

Striding up to him, I snatched the remnants from his hands.

"You infernal cub!" I roared. "Haven't you any more sense than to smash a golf club like that? For two cents I'd break this putter over your bend."

"Father," he yelled indignantly, "who is this mucker?"

Mr. Rocksworth bounced toward me. his cane raised. I whirled upon him. "How dare you?" he shouted. The adies squealed.

If he expected me to cringe he was mightily mistaken. My blood was up. I advanced.

"Paste him, dad!" roared Harolu, But Mr. Rocksworth suddenly altered his course and put the historic treaty table between him and me. He didn't like the appearance of my rath-

er brawny fist. "You big stiff!" shouted Harold. Afterward it occurred to me that this inelegant appellation may have been meant for his father, but at the time

I took it to be aimed at me. Before Harold quite knew what was happening to him he was prancing down the long hall with my bony fingers grasping his collar. Coming to the door opening into the outer vesti-



"How dare you?" he shouted.

bule, I drew back my foot for a final aid to locomotion. Acutely recalling the fact that slippers are not designed for kicking purposes, I raised my foot, removed the slipper and laid it upon a taut section of his trousers with all of the melancholy force that I usually exert in slicing my drive off the tee. I shall never forget the exquisite spasm of pleasure his plaintive "Ouch!"

Then Harold passed swiftly out of my life.

Mr. Rocksworth, re-enforced by four reluctant mercenaries in the shape of porters, was advancing upon me. Somehow I had a vague but unerring instinct that some one had fainted, but I didn't stop to inquire. Without much ado I wrested the cane from him and sent it scuttling after Harold. "Now get out!" I roared.

"You shall pay for this!" he sputtered, quite black in the face. "Grab him, you infernal cowards!"

But the four porters slunk away, and Mr. Rocksworth faced me alone. Rudolph and Max, thoroughly fed and most prodigious, were bearing down upon us, accounting for the flight of the mercenaries.

"Get out!" I repeated. "I am the owner of this place, Mr. Rocksworth, and I am mad through and through! Skip!"

They skipped

#### CHAPTER IV. I Converse With a Mystery.

ATE in the afternoon I opened my door, hoping that the banging of hammers and the buzz of industry would have ceased: but, alas, the noise was even more deafening than before. Esyping Britton in the gloomy corridor, I shouted

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"Britton." said I as he closed the door, "do you think they will carry out their threat to have the law on me? Mr. Rocksworth was very angry -and put out. He is a power, as you

"I think you are quite safe, sir," said he. "Shortly before 2, sir, one of the porters from the hotel came over to recover a gold purse Mrs. Riley-Werkheimer had dropped in the excitement, and he informed Mr. Poopendyke that the whole party was leaving

at 4 for Dresden." Later on, somewhat refreshed and relieved. I made my way to the little balcony, first having issued numerous orders and directions to the still stupefled Schmicks, chief among which was an inflexible command to keep the gates locked against all comers.

Suddenly as I sat there ruminating I became acutely aware of something white on the ledge of the topmost window in the eastern tower. Even as I fixed my gaze upon it something else transpired. A cloud of soft. wavy, luxurious brown hair eclipsed the narrow white strip and hung with spreading splendor over the casement ledge plainly, indubitably to dry in the sun.

My neighbor had washed her hair! And it was really a most wonderful head of hair. I can't remember ever having seen anything like it except in the advertisements.

What a glorious, appealing, sensuous thing a crown of hair-but just then Mr. Poopendyke came to my window.

"May I interrupt you for a moment. Mr. Smart?" he inquired, as he squinted at me through his ugly bone rimmed

"Come here, Poopendyke," I commanded in low, excited tones. He hesttated. "You won't fall off," I said sharply.

Although the window is at least nine feet high, Poopendyke stooped as he

came through. He always does it, no matter how tall the door. It is a lifelong habit with him. Have ! mentioned that my worthy secretary is six feet four and as thin as a reed? I remember speaking of his knees. He is also a bachelor.

"It is a dreadful distance down there," he murmured, flattening himself against the wall and closing his eyes.

A pair of slim white hands at that instant indolently readjusted the thick mass of hair and quite as casually disappeared. I failed to hear Mr. Poopendyke's remark.

"I think, sir," he proceeded, "It would be a very good idea to get some of our correspondence off our hands. A great deal of it has accumulated in the past few weeks. I wish to say that I am quite ready to attend to it whenever"-

"Time enough for letters," said I. still staring.

"First of all, we must have a ladder," I went on "Have you seen to

"A ladder?" be faltered, putting one foot back through the window in a most suggestive way.

"Oh," said I, remembering, "I haven't "What is it, sir? A rug?"

"Rug! Great Scott, man, don't you know a woman's bair when you see

"I've never-er-never seen it-you might say-just like that. Is it hair?" "It is. You do see it, don't you?"

"How did it get there?"

"Good! Now I know I'm not dreaming. Come! There's no time to be lost. We may be able to get up there before she hears us!" I instructed old Conrad to have the

tallest ladder brought to me in the courtyard at once. "There is no such thing about the

castle," he announced blandly.

"Where are your sons?" I demanded. The old coupie held up their hands in great distress

"Herr Britton has them wearing their souls out, turning a windlass outside the gates-ach, that terrible invention of his!" groaned old Conrad. "My poor sons are faint with fatigue, mein herr. You should see them perspire and hear them pant for breath.'

Happily a new idea struck me almost

In a jiffy half a dozen carpenters were at work constructing a substantial ladder out of scantlings, while I stood over them in serene command of the situation.

When the ladder was completed I mounted to the top and peered through the sashless window. It was quite black and repelling beyond. Instructing Britton and the two brothers to follow me in turn, I clambered over the wide stone sill and lowered myself gingerly to the floor.

I will not take up the time or the space to relate my experiences on this first fruitless visit to the east wing of my abiding place. Suffice to say, we got as far as the top of the stairs in the vast middle corridor after stumbling through a series of dim, damp rooms, and then found our way effectually blocked by a stout door which was not only locked and bolted, but bore a most startling admonition to would be trespassers.

Pinned to one of the panels there was a dainty bit of white note paper, with these satiric words written across its surface in a bold feminine hand:

"Please keep out. This is private

property. Most property owners no doubt would have been incensed by this calm defiance on the part of a squatter, either male or female, but not i. The very impudence of the usurper appealed to What could be more delicious than her serene courage in dispossessing me with the stroke of a pen of at least two-thirds of my domicile and what more exciting than the thought of waging war against her in the ef-

that stirred my romantic soul to its very depths.

We returned to the courtyard and held a counsel of war. I put all of the Schmicks on the grill, but they stubbornly disclaimed all interest in or knowledge of the extraordinary occupant of the east wing.

We can smoke her out, sir," said Britton.

I could scarcely believe my ears.

"Britton," said I severely, "you are a brute. I am surprised. You forget there is an innocent babe, maybe a collection of them, over there and a dog. We shan't do anything heathenish. Britton. Please bear that in mind. There is but one way-we must storm the place. I will not be defied to my very nose." i felt it to see if it was not a little out of joint. "It is a good

"It is, sir," said Britton. And Poopendyke in a perfect ecstasy of loyalty shouted. "Long live your nose, sir!"

My German vassals waved their hats, perceiving that a demonstration was required without in the least knowing what it was about.

That night was very black and tragic, swift storm clouds having raced up to cover the moon and stars. With a radiant lanthorn in the window behind me, I sat down with my pad and my pipe and my pencil. The storm was not far away.

I was scribbling away in screne contempt for the physical world when there came to my ears a sound that gave me a greater shock than any streak of lightning could have produced and yet left sufficient life in me to appreciate the sensation of being electrified.

A woman's voice, speaking to me out of the darkness and from some point

quite near at hand! "I beg your pardon, but would you

mind doing me a very slight favor?" Those were the words, uttered in a clear, sweet, perfectly confident voice, as of one who never asked for favors, but exacted them.

I looked about me, blinking, utterly bewildered. No one was to be seen. She laughed. Without really meaning to do so, I also laughed-nervously, of course.

"Can't you see me?" she asked. I looked intently at the spot from which the sound seemed to come-a perfectly solid stone block less than three feet from my right shoulder. It must have been very amusing. She laughed again. I flushed resentfully.

"Where are you?" I cried out rather

"I can see you quite plainly, and you are very ugly when you scowl, sir. Are you scowling at me?"

"I don't know," I replied truthfully, still searching for her. "Does it seem so to you?" "Yes.

"Then I must be looking in the right direction," I cried impolitely. "You ty. "If I should write you a nice,

My straining eyes had located a small, oblong blotch in the curve of the told you, have I? Look! Up there, in tower not more than twenty feet from where I stood, and on a direct line with my balcony. True, I could not at first see a face, but as my eyes grew a little more accustomed to the darkness, I fancied I could distinguish a shadow that might pass for one

"I didn't know that little window was there," I cried, puzzled.

"It isn't," she said. "It is a secret toophole, and it isn't here except in times of great duress. See, I can close it!" The oblong blotch abruptly disappeared, only to reappear an instant later. I was beginning to understand. Of course it was in the beleaguered ast wing! "I hope I didn't startle you

moment ago. I resolved to be very stiff and formal about it. "May I inquire, madam, what you are doing in my hou-my cas-

"You may.

"Well," said I, seeing the point, what are you doing here?"

"I am tiving here," she answered disinetty.

"So I perceive," said I, rather too disinctly.

"And I have come down to ask a imple, tiny little favor of you, Mr. mart, she resumed

"You know my name?" I cried, sur-

"I am reading your last book- Are on going?

"Just a moment, please," I called out, struck by a splendid idea. Reaching inside the window, I grasped the anthorn and brought its rays to bear ipon the perfectly blank wall! I stared open mouthed and unbelieving. 'Good heaven'. Have I been dreaming all this?" I cried aloud.

My gaze fell upon two tiny holes in the wall, exposed to view by the bright light of my lamp. They appeared to be precisely in the center of the spot so recently marked by the clusive oblong. Even as I stared at the boles a slim object that I at once recognized as a finger protruded from one of them and wiggled at me in a merry but exceedingly irritating manner.

Sensibly I restored the lanthorn to its place inside the window and waited for the mysterious voice to resume. "Are you so homely as all that?" I demanded when the shadowy face

me. I thought. "I am considered rather good looking," she replied serenely, "Please don't do that again. It was very rude

looked out once more. Very clever of

of you, Mr. Smart. "Oh, I've seen something of you be fore this." I said. "You have long, beautifur brown hair-and a dog."

She was silent. "I am sure you will pardon me if I very politely ask who you are?" went on.

"That question takes me back to the

fort to regain possession of it? Really favor. Will you be so very, very kind it was quite glorious. Here was a as to cease bothering me, Mr. Smart? happy, enchanting bit of feudalism it is dreadfully apserting, don't you know, feeling that at any moment you

may rush in and "I like that. In my own castle too!" "There is ample room for both of us," she said sharply. "I shant be here for more than a month or six weeks, and I am sure we can get along very amiably under the same roof for that length of time if you'll only forget that

I am bere. "I can't very well do that, madam. You see, we are making extensive repairs about the place, and you are proving to be a serious obstacle. I cannot grant your request. It will grieve me enormously if I am compelled to smoke you out, but I fear"-

"Smoke me out!" "Perhaps with sulphur," I went on resolutely. "It is said to be very ef-

fective." "Surely you will not do anything so horrid."

"Only as a last resort. First we shall storm the east wing. Failing in that, we shall rely on smoke. You will admit that you have no right to poach on my preserves."

"None whatever," she said rather plaintively.

I can't remember having heard a sweeter voice than hers. Of course by this time I was thoroughly convinced that she was a lady, a cultured, high bred tady, and an American.

That plaintive note in her voice served its purpose. My firmness seemed to dissolve, even as I sought to re-enforce it by an injection of barshness into my own manner of speech.

"Then you should be willing to vacate my premises er or"-here is where I began to show irresolutenessor explain yourself."

"Won't you be generous?" I cleared my throat nervously. How well they know the cracks in a man's

"I am willing to be amenable to rea-

son. That's all you ought to expect." A fresh idea took root. "Can't we effeet a compromise-a truce, or something of the sort? All I ask is that you explain your presence here. I will promise to be as generous as possible under the circumstances."

"Will you give me three days in which to think it over?" she asked. after a long pause.

"Well, two days?"

"I'll give you until tomorrow afternoon at 5, when I shall expect you to receive me in person."

"That is quite impossible." "But I demand the right to go wher-

ever I please in my own castle. You"-"If you knew just how circumspect I am obliged to be at present you wouldn't impose such terms, Mr. Smart."

"Oh, circumspect! That puts a new light on the case. What have you been up to, madame?" I spoke very severely. She very properly ignored the banali-



I demand the right to go wherever I please in my own castle."

agreeable letter, explaining as much as I can, won't you be satisfied?" "I prefer to have it by word of mouth.

She seemed to be considering. "I will come to this window tomorrow night at this time and-and let you know," she said reluctantly.

"Very well," said I. "We'll let it rest till then.

"And, by the way, I have something more to ask of you. Is it quite necessary to have all this pounding and hammering going on in the castle? The noise is dreadful. I don't ask it on my own account, but for the baby. You see, she's quite ill with a fever, Mr. Smart. Perhaps you've heard her crymg.

"The baby?" I muttered. "It is nothing serious, of course. The doctor was here today and he reassured me"

"A-a doctor here today?" I gasped. She laughed once more. Verily, it was a gentle, bigh bred laugh.

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thing else? "Nothing, thank you," she replied. Then: "Good night, Mr. Smart. You are very good."

"Don't forget tomorrow"-But the obiong aperture disappearself staring at the blank, sphinxlike

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APPLICATION FOR SHARES

Cut on this line

To The Reelfoot Lake Oil Co., Clinton, Ky.,

Gentlemen:

Number of Shares

I hereby subscribe for and request you to allot me\_\_\_\_shares in the above named company, for which I accompany this application with the sum of , being at the rate of \_\_\_\_ per share.

I authorize the Secretary to sign the subscription book for the above shares. Applicant's Name

Address

It is the mutual understanding and desire of the charter members of this corportion that the affairs of the company be directed along high moral lines.

Stock subject to advance at any time, or withdrawal without notice. We are offering only 250,000 shares for sale at 10c.

Represented in Hickman by THE HICKMAN DRUG CO.

W. C. REED,

See Our Prospectus.

At the Hickman Bank & Trust Co.

#### \$80 to \$100 AN ACRE MADE ON TOMATOES.

Among a number of interesting committee reports read at the Business League meeting Thursday evening was one on the truck business in this section by A. O. Caruthers, manager for the Hickman Fruit & Truck Growers' As-

In the initial venture, both good and bad results have been record-

Cabbage proved to be a losing game. Had we but got on the market ten days earlier-and this could have been done had we started earlier - this product would have paid well. Only two ear loads were shipped from Hick

Tomatoes made our growers ome money; although it was a season in many respects. lwo growers averaged slightly over \$100 an acre on their patches; but the average was given as \$80 an acre. Nine car loads were shipped. Some few will drop out of the association next year; on the other hand, many will increase their acreage. As one trucker put it, "the experience has been worth a whole lot, and we can and will do better next year. Several of us made more money out of truck this year than we expected."

The League will make another attempt to encourage strawberry growing here along with other crops. The first step will be to try to induce Mr. Wade, the strawberry king," of Tennessee, to put out 100 acres here, just as he has done at Union City, Humboldt and several other towns.

#### BIDS WANTED FOR PLANK SIDEWALK.

Notice is hereby given that ealed proposals will be received at the office of the Mayor until 7 o'clock p. m. Monday, October 4, 1915, for installing new plank side walks on Brooklyn, Market and Ashland streets in West Hickman, at such places where the owners of the abutting property have failed or refused to build such side walks as required by law. The above consists of about 1300 feet of walk, specifications as follows: A plank sidewalk three feet in width made of three plank 2x12 in. in width, laid side by side and securely nailed to cross timbers underneath: 4x4 inch by hree feet long.

Attest: Jno. Pyle, City Clerk. Tom Dillon, Sr., Mayor.

Prejudice against the automoile is gradually dying by force ouggy has come to stay. We recall a few years ago when Dr. S. K. Davidson operated a so-called "steamer,"-operated it when he could. This was followed by a gasoline car, called a "Victor, and owned by Dr. J. M. Hubbard. Neither car could boast of much capacity, but for making noise and searing horses, they have never been excelled. At that time, everything was against the auto; they were few, noisy, unsuccessful and the majority were driving horses. The crisis has passed. The car is now practical and horses, with few exceptions, do not scare. The auto driver is no longer in the minority-nor is he cussed for being found on the public highways with his machine. On the contrary, the auto owner is the power behind the throne in the great popular road improvement. There is a marked difference between the condition of Fulton county's roads now and when Dr. Hubbard first drove the famous "Victor" all the way to Fulton and back. Better roads are coming, and the automobile is helping to accomplish what would never have been done without it.

Chief Noah and Mayor Reynolds made a hurry-up call to Baptistville Monday night, some of the colored denizens of that locality having spread broadcast the S. O. S. signal. Aubrey Mayfield, armed with a big sharp knife, had whittled upon the body of Euliss Reeves to his heart's content. Officers found Reeves nearly dead and also found that Mayfield had departed for parts unknown. But the Mayor "struck a trial" and found his man at Brevard's Crossing en route to Hickman. Mayfield was fined \$100.—Union City Commercial.

Dr. G. C. Thomas, of Tiptonville, has purchased the Old Ridge ly Gazette plant from B. F. Hardison, the consideration not being known.

Leonard A. Duke and Miss Alla Mai Shelton were married at Beelerton, Thursday.



### ABSTON, WYNNE & CO. **Cotton Factors**

No. 8 South Front Street

Warehouse New South Memphis Memphis, Tenn.

WE MAKE LIBERAL ADVANCES on shipments of cotton, and hold, if shippers desire.

#### INFANT DIED SUNDAY.

The 18 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Chambers, of the lower bottom, died Sunday morning, after a short illness. Burial at Brownsville Sunday.

Elsewhhere in this issue will be found the prize list for the Fulton County School Fair, to be held at Hickman, Nov. 6th. This event ast year was such a success and what to do. such an enjoyable occasion that Miss Virginia Luten was seiged with requests for making it an annual event. It is fine for encouraging the school children and bringing the patrons and teachers together in a social way. Make your arrangemnets to at-

The State Department of Edueation is sending out to teachers of circumstances. The benzine a bulletin advising them to acquire school libraries and giving a list and advice about the selection and installation of the libraries. Thanks to our county school superintendent, many of Fulton county's rural schools already have nice libraries, while the high schools have had splendid libraries for years.

> Hickman merchants have all returned from the markets and now have on display the most complete line of fall and winter merchandise ever brought to this eity. When ready to do your fall trading come to Hickman, it

> Ed Lowe, a citizen for many mrs of Rives, and vicinity, was found dead at his home Thursday, Sept. 16. Deceased had been blind for a year and lived alone, his wife passing away some years

will pay you to trade here.

S. A. Choate vs. R. B. (Dick) Marshall, motion to quash judgment of J. P. Aug. 1, 1915, disallowed, and continued. - Union City Commercial.

The home of Will Landrum, of Mayfield, was destroyed by fire

#### IT'S SURPRISING

That So Many Hickman People Fail To Recognize Kidney Weakness.

Are you a bad back vietim. Suffer twinges; headaches, diz-

Go to bed tired—get up tired? It's surprising how few people suspect the kidneys.

It's surprising how few know Kidney trouble needs kidney

treatment. Doan's Kidney Pills are for the

kidneys only. Have convinced Hickman peo-

ple of their merit. Here's a Hickman case; Hickman testimony.

Kidney sufferers hereabouts

should read it. John N. Nelson, painter, Hick-

man, says: "I had kidney trouble and my bladder was affected. I suffered constantly from pains in my back. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me and since then I have had no need of a kidney medi-Price 50e at all dealers. Don't

simply ask for a kidney remedyget Doan's Kidney Pills the same that Mr. Nelson recommends. Foster-Milburn Co., props., Buffalo, N. Y.

The best goods that money can buy at Bonduant Bros.

The new gravel road proves a great temptation for automobilists o exceed the speed limit.

FOR SALE: A fine Jersey heifer, full blooded, weight 400, age 15 months; price \$40 .- C. M.

The dog tax, after paying for he sheep killed, will contribute \$39,622.42 toward the education of the 743,501 school children in Kentucky this year.

Since the Young Men's Business League has been in existence, it has spent for the good of Hickman and our farmer friends around Hickman, a total of \$1,409.01. Judging from what the Ben Walker has been quite sick League has accomplished-it got its "money's worth."

### The Lee Line Steamers

### MEMPHIS AND TRI-STATE FAIR

Which opens Sept. 26th - closes Oct. 6th. Fare Round Trip from Hickman, Ky.

Meals and berth included enronte, only. Tickets good Sept. 25th to Oct. 7th, inclusive. Steamers leave Wednesdays and Saturdays p. m For further information, see Pursers of Steamers, or

W. F. McGuire, Agt., Hickman, Ky.

### By All Means You Should Own



THE COURIER can help you solve this important problem; can save you money on the deal. If you care to sell, see us. Farm Property a Specialty.

### DELINQUENT TAX SALE

### CITY OF HICKMAN, KY.

I will, on Monday, October 11, 1915, that being regular County Court day, between the hours of one and two o'clock p. m., at the court house door in Hickman, Ky., sell for cash the following described property, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy taxes due the City of Hickman, Ky., for the years as designated below, together with all interest, costs and penalties as prescribed by law.

#### JOHN WRIGHT,

Valuation Tax

City Tax Collector and Marshal of City of Hickman, Ky. EXPLANATION-

- "EH" indicates East Hickman. "OH" indicates Old Hickman. "WH" indicates West Hic kman.
- "GA" indicates Gourley's Addition. "RB" indicates Richmond & Bond Addition.
- "Pt" indicates Part. "B" indicates Block. "L" indicates Lot.

#### WHITE LIST-1910. Location

Geo. Carpenter......EH B2 L 158 to 163.... \$1200

Geo. CarpenterEH B2	L 158 to 163	\$1200		Lower
Geo. CarpenterWH	1/2 of L 252-253	800	\$22.75	McMo
Tobe Capps EH B3	L 129	800	11.50	Milner
C. A. Holland EH B3	L 202	300	5.25	Neely,
A. G. KimbroOH	1/2 L 41	1200	27.63	Nichol
R. S. Murrell OH Geo. Metheny WH A. F. Oliver WH Dr. H. E. Prather WH	1/2 L 81-82	700	4.25	Plumn
Geo. MethenvWH	L 184	40	00 3.00	Rhode
A. F. Oliver	Part L No. 81	1000	17.75	Smith,
Dr. H. E. Prather WH	L 199-200	1000	15.88	Smith,
A W Moner EH Ho	1. 104	271 16 1	2 (34)	Simith,
Southern Wood Supply Co. WH J. H. SmithWH J. P. TaylorWH	T. 89	100	1.25	Thomp
I H Smith WH	T. 69	75	9 44	Talley
T D Towley WH	T 199	600	7.50	Walke
		000	1.00	Wilson
COLORED L				Wilson
Roger Adkinson	North 1/2 of L 159.	50	2.13	
Lavia Adkisson EH B4	L 216217	200	2.50	
Scott Barbee EH B3	T. 104105	900		Adams
Scott Barbee EH B4				Ballar
Scott Barbee EH B6	W 1/ of T. 201-202	300	e20.88	Carper
Carolina Brown EH B6	T 257 258	2.50	3.13	Coffey
Brown BruerEH B6	Q 1/ of T 000	200	4.00	Hagan
Tony Donaldson EH B6	T 020	100	1.25	Newto
Poly Donaidson EH Bo	T 107 100	100		Oliver,
Bob Griggs EH B4	L 107-108	400	6.50	
Vicy Hammock EH B3 Green Lowery GA	L 100	150	1.88	Southe
Green Lowery GA	L 107108	300	5.25	Smith,
Mack McGehee EH B5	L 148	250		
Merriwether HeirsEH B5	S part L 217218	100	1.25	
Ernest NicholsShop		100	2.75	Atkissi
Ernest NicholsShop West PhillipsGA Nathan TalleyEH B4	L	200	4.00	Alexan
Nathan Talley EH B4	L 239230231	300	2.75	Bruer,
Hollis Taylor EH E4	L 220	50	2.13	Brown
Jane Winston OH	L 139	300	3.75	Bragg,
WHITE L	TST_1911			Bynun
		000		Barbee
C. F. Beckham WH	L 89	300	3.75	Brown
J. R. Brown OH	130 to 133, 116 pt. 115	, 1035		Boyd,
J. R. Brown EH B4				Bracey
T D D	160 to 163	100		Bracey
J. R. Brown GA	L 121122	50	9.13	Cooper
J. R. Brown, agt Gus Barr OH	L 117-118	50	.63	Crowd
J. R. Brown, agt Gus Barr OH Mrs. A. M. Brown OH W. J. Barry OH	L 126	200	2.50	Donald
W. J. BarryOH	part of L 28-27	1000	14.75	Foulks
Lush ColeWH	L 136	600	9.00	Foulks
Geo. L. Carpenter EH B2	L 158 to 163	1200	17.75	Ferrell
Israel Clark EH B7			3.75	Freema
T. J. Fletcher WH	L 226	800	10.00	Griggs
C. A. Holland EH B3	L 207	350	5.88	Hamme
A. G. KimbroOH	S. 1/2 of L 41	1200	8.44	Ingrun
R. H. KirkOH	W 1-3 of L 21	900		Colored
R. H. Kirk	L 234	600	18.75	Jordan
Lee Line Steamers wharf		500	6.25	Jenkins
Mrs. L. E. MyersWH	L 184		5.63	Lowery
	L 182		7.75	Mott, 1
	L 79-80		9.00	Colored
	L 185-186		12.00	McMor
	L 199-200		15.88	Menife
Dan Rogers EH B4	L 229 to 231	400		

Dan Rogers..... EH B4 L 229 to 231..... 400

F. M. Smidt. . . . . . EH B 4 L 188, 189, 190, 191, 192

194, 195.... 350

Mrs. F. D. Salmon				201		
Tom Thomas C B Wright	EH	B7	L	278	300	
				L 250	200	
Jake Alexander	EH	B7	g	1/ of T. 265-6-7	200	4.00
Alston Heirs, Zion Brown Bruer	G	A R	L	46	200	2.50 5.25
Caroline Brown	EH	Ro	L	257-258	200	3.13
J. H. Britt Will Bennett	EH	B6   B6	L	257-258-259 240-241-242	150 300	1.88 4.13
John Brown	EH	B7	W	1/6 L 265-266-267.	300	3.75 3.38
Scott Barbee	EH	B3	L	104-105	800	0.00
Scott Barbee	EH	B6	1/	of T. 200-201	500	21.50
Tony Donaldson Andy Dowd	EH	B6	L	236	100 150	2.75 1.88
Pop Terrell	EH	B4	L	165	50	2.13 6.50
Bob Griggs	EH	B6	L	230	100	1.25
Horace Hooker Will Haynes	GA		T.	135	250 100	4.63 2.75
Vicy Hammock Martha Jordan	EH	B3	L	155	150	1.88 1.25
Bob King Heirs	EH	B4	L	201-207	300	3.75
Perry Lowery Green Lowery		GA	L	107-108	200	
Jess McMorris Jim Moore	G/	A	L	53	250	-
Masons Lodge	EH	B3	L	156-157	100	1.25
Chas. Nichols	EH		Rs	arher Shop	100	.25
E. G. Overby E. G. Overby	EH	B6 B4	L	156 223	300	
E. G. Overby E. G. Overby E. G. Overby	GA		L	199-200	350	9.81
Tem Plumer	EH	B6	L	247-1/2 of 248	150	1.88
Nellie Priest	EH	<b>B3</b>	L	165-166	250	2.13
Sino Shaw	W	H	S	1/2 of L 85	50 100	1.00 1.25
Cato Thompson	EH	B5	1/0	of L 214	150	
Cato Thompson Hollis Taylor	EH	B4	I.	220	300	4.63 5.25
Annie West Chas. Wilson	EH	B6	W	1/2 of 249-250	300 100	3.75 2.75
Jane Winston	OH		L	139	300	3.75 1.88
				r_1912	100	1.00
Ballard, Joe, Richmond					800	11.50
Bass, Gus	0	H	L	118	50	.63
Carpenter, Geo	EH F	32	L	158 to 163	2100	27.75
Hunt, J H. Kennedy & Hubbard.	WI		Lga	181	1160	16.00
Kennedy & Hubbard Newton, Binford Newton, Will	EH	B7	L	219	150 250	1.88 4.63
Higgins, Wm	EH	B4	Ĺ	219	250	4.62
				T-1912		
Adkisson, Fanny Bracy, Hillon	HE	B4	L	234-5-6	400 250	5.00 4.62
Bracy, Hillon Bracy, Minnie	GA		Pt	L 136	50	.63 5.25
Binford, Henry Bennett, Will	EH	B6	L	240-1-2	330	5.62
Brown, Carline Chambers, Bob	EH	B6 B3	L	258	200	2.50 4.00
Donaldson, Tony French, Conelius	EH	B6		L 236	100 175	2.75 3.69
Foulks, Jim	GA		L	141	200	4.00
Grass, Ella	EH	B3 B3	L	155	100 200	1.25 2.50
Jones, Eddie Jordon, Ruby	EH		L	198	350 150	4.38 1.88
Lowery, Green	G	A	L	107-8	475	7.44
McMorris, Jessie Milner Heirs	EH	B7	L	268 to 272	250 700	4.62 8.75
Neely, Bob	EH	B1	L	8-9	400 700	5.00 10.25
Plummer, Tom Rhodes, Hastings	EH	B6	L	247	100	1.25
Smith, Elzie	GA		Pt	of L 133-134	250	4.62
Smith, Lou	EH	B3	1/2 L	187	100 125	1.25 1.56
Talley, Gentry Walker, Will	EH	B5 B4	L	221	100 100	2.75 1.25
Wilson, Jim	EH	B7	L	725-276	300 300	5.25 5.25
				T—1913	500	0.20
Adams, W. G					350	5.88
Ballard, Joe	WH		L	9	200	6.50
Carpenter, Geo. L	EH	B4	L	241-244	400	27.75 5.00
Hagan, Will Newton, Binford	EH	B7	L	219	150 150	3.33 3.38
Oliver, A F	W	H	E	1-3-81	500	6.31
Southern Express Co Smith, C. H	WH		L	S ½-218-219	1000	14.00
				LIST-1913		
Atkissin, Est., Bryant. Alexander, Mo	EH	B4 1	L	234-5-6	400 200	5.00 5.00
Bruer, Brown	EH!	B6 8	S	1/2 249-250	300	5.25
Brown, Carolina Bragg, Est					300	3.75 1.25

	Mrs. F. D. Salmon	EH B7	L 201	300	3.75	
	Tom Thomas	WH B7	L 278	300 400	5.25 11.88	Communication Princip
		LORED LI				MINUEND-WINTER PRICE
Ī	Jake Alexander			200	4.00	SUBTRAHEND-SUMMER PRICE
	Alston Heirs, Zion	GA	L 46	200	2.50	AFR STHAINDED
	Brown Bruer Caroline Brown	EH B6	North ½ L 249-250. L 257-258	300 250	5.25 3.13	(REMAINDER)
	J. H. Britt	EH B6	L 257-258-259	150 300	1.88 4.13	
	Will Bennett Bob Bynum	EH B7	W 1/6 L 265-266-267.	300	3.75	DOC PASTINATION 2
	John Brown Scott Barbee	GA	L 16-18	150 800	3.38	PROCRASTINATION
	Scott Barbee	EH B4	L 188	300		121
	Scott Barbee Tony Donaldson	EH B6	1/2 of L 200-201	500 100	21.50	
	Andy Dowd	EH B4	L 191-192	150	1.88	In the Matter of Puttir
	Pop Terrell Bob Griggs	EH B4	L 165	50 400	2.13 6.50	Supply of
	Ella Grass	EH B6	L 230	100 250	1.25 4.63	PROCRAST
	Horace Hooker Will Haynes	GA	L 135	100	2.75	THOCHASI
	Vicy Hammock Martha Jordan	EH B3	L 155	150 100	1.88 1.25	May be the thief of the
	Bob King Heirs	EH B4	L 201-207	300	3.75	Summer and Winter Price.
	Perry Lowery	GA	L 141-151	200 200	4.00	
	Jess McMorris	GA	L 53	250	4.63	0:1. 01
	Jim Moore Masons Lodge	EH B3	L 156-157	250 100	4.63 1.25	City Coal
	Chas. Nichols Ernest Nichols	EH B1	L 8-9	600	5.00	Both Phones
	E. G. Overby	EH B6	L 156	300		Both Phones .
	E. G. Overby	GA GA	L 223	300 350		
	E. G. Overby	GA	L 105	400	9.81	G. D Eviton was the
	Tem Plumer Wilce Persley	EH B6	L 247-1/2 of 248 L 52-55-56.	150 300	1.88 5.25	Gus Farmer, of Fulton, was the guest of Miss Learon Brown Sun-
'n	Nellie Priest	EH B3	L 165-166	250	2.13	day.
ı	Sino Shaw	EH	1/2 of L 159	100	1.25	If you get a blue mark on your Courier it means that your sub-
	Bud Shaw	EH B5	1/2 of L 214	150 100		scription has expired. Sure, pay
	Hollis Taylor	EH B4	I. 220	300	5.25	u <sub>a'</sub> .
	Annie West Chas. Wilson	EH B6	W ½ of 249-250 L 133	300 100	3.75 2.75	Shaw, Linn
	Jane Winston	OH	T. 139	300	3.75	Smith, Eliza GA Pt
	Harry Watkins, Est.			150	1.88	Taylor, Hollis EH B4 E1 Thompson, Cato EH B5 L
			ST_1912			Thompson, Cora EH B3 L Wheatley, Horace EH B5 Pt
	Ballard, Joe, Richmon Bass, Gus	d & Bond A	ddition, Store	800 50	11.50	Wess, Annie EH B6 L
r	Carpenter, Geo	EH B2	L 76-77	800		Walker, Will EH B5 L Wilkerson, Chas EH B3 L
k	Carpenter, Geo Hunt, J H	EH B2	L 158 to 163 L 181	2100 1160	27.75 16.00	Winston, JaneOH 13
e	Kennedy & Hubbard		garage	150	1.88	Wright, Mittie EH B7 L Wilson, R B GA L
e	Newton Will	GA	L 142-149	250		WHITE LIST
d	Higgins, Wm	EH B4	L 219	250	4.62	Ballard, Joe RB WH L
	CO	LORED LI	ST-1912			Benton, Tom WH
1.	Adkisson, Fanny	HE B4	L 234-5-6	400 250	5.00	Carpenter, G. L EH B2 L Coffey, Nancy EH B4 L
	Bracy, Hillon Bracy, Minnie	GA	Pt. L 136	50	4.62	Clark, Israel
	Binford, Henry Bennett, Will	EH BG	L 129	300	5.25 5.62	Carpenter, Miss Hattie EH B2 L
	Brown, Carline	EH B6	L 258	200	2.50	Donnell, Arch LWH L. Elliott, Mrs. B. S RB WH L.
	Chambers, Bob Donaldson, Tony	EH B6	L 158 to 161	200 100	4.00 2.75	Fuller, Mrs. Van WH L
	French, Conelius	EH B4	L 164-5		3.69	Hagan, Will EH B4 Pt Harris, Mrs. S. C. EH B5 L
	Foulks, JimGrass, Ella	EH B3	L 67	100	1.25	Leggate, Price OH L
	Hammock, Vici Jones, Eddie	EH B3	L 155	200 350	2.50 4.38	Mayers, Ben WH L
	Jordon, Ruby	EH B4	L 177	150	1.88	Millet, R. E. OH L. Millett, R. E. GA L
	Lowery, Green McMorris, Jessie				7.44	Meyers, Chas
	Milner Heirs Neely, Bob	EH B7	L 268 to 272	700	8.75 5.00	Metheny, R. M WH L
	Nichols, Chas	EH B1	L 8-9	700	10.25	Morgan, Dave EH B7 L Newton, J C EH B7 L
	Plummer, Tom Rhodes, Hastings				1.25 1.88	New York Store Mer. Co WH L
	Smith Elzie	GA	Pt. of L 133-134	250	4.62	Newton, Will GA L Prather, Dr. H. E Of
1	Smith, Lou Thompsonn Cora	EH B3	L 187	125	1.25 1.56	Prather, Dr. H. E. Of Provow, Mrs. P. T. WH L Roberts, Virgil. WH L
	Talley, Gentry Walker, Will	EH B5	L 221	100	2.75 1.25	Royster, J F EH B5 L
	Wilson, Jim	EH B7	L 725-276	300	5.25	Smith, C H
	Wilson, Chas			300	5.25	Thomas, TomEH B1 L
			ST—1913			COLORED LI
	Adams, W. G Ballard, Joe	EH B5	L 196-197	350 200	5.88 6.50	Adkissin, Est., Bryant EH B4 L Arbuckle, Hy EH B7 L
	Carpenter, Geo. L.	EH B2	L 156 to 163, 76-77	2100	27.75	Bruer, Brown EH B6 L
	Coffey, Nancy Hagan, Will	EH B4	Pt. 219	150	5.00 3.33	Bracy, Hilliard GA L Brown, Geo GA L
	Newton, Binford	EH B7	L 219	150	3.38 6.31	Brown, Carolina EH B6 L Bragg, Est., Mamie EH B6 L
	Southern Express Co.		Office	150	1.88	Bracy, Minnie GA L
	Smith, C. H			1000	14.00	Bynum, Robt. EH B7 L Buey, Lee Ann. EH B4 L
	Addition To December 1		D LIST_1913	400	F 00	Britt, J. H EH B6 237
	Atkissin, Est., Bryant Alexander, Mo.	EH B7	L 206	200	5.00 5.00	Carnes, Brady EH B3 L Cooper, Eddie EH B4 L
	Bruer, Brown Brown, Carolina	EH B6	8 1/2 249-250	300	5.25 3.75	Coleman, Faust EH B7 L
	Bragg, Est	EH B4	L 245	100	1.25	Donelson, Tony EH B 2 L : Davis, Tom EH B5 L
	Bynum, Bob Barbee, Monroe	EH B5	L 1-3 263-266-267 L 208	100	1.25 1.25	Ferrell, Pap EH B4 L Fowler, Chas GA Pt.
	Brown, Geo	GA 1	Pt. L 15	150	3.38	Fowlkes, Jim GA Pt.
	Boyd, Eliza Bracey, Minnie	GA 1	L 136	100 300	1.25 3.75	Griggs, RobtEH B4 L : Hilliard, LutherEH B6 L
	Bracey, Hillard Cooper, Eddie	GA I	L 133	250 350	4.63 4.33	Hooker, Horace EH B6 L
1	Crowder, Dan	EH B5 1	L ½ 215-216	300	5.25	Hams, Geo EH B5 L 1 Hays, Will
	Donaldson, Tony Foulks, Chas	EH B6 1	Pt. of L 150	100 300	5.25 5.25	Jones, J J EH B3 L 1
1	Foulks, Jim	GA I	Pt. of L 150	150	5.88	Jewett, Cora EH B3 L
1	Ferrell, Pap Freeman, Henry	GA 1	L 76-77	$\frac{100}{200}$	5.25 2.50	McLin, Walter GA L 4
1	Griggs, Bob Hammock, Vici	EH B4 I	207-8	400 200	6.50 2.50	Menefee, Chas EH B3 L
1	Ingrum, Horace	EH B5 1	/ <sub>2</sub> of 234-235	350	5.88	Maddox, Jessie GA L 3 Nichols, Chas EH B1 L 8
1	Colored I O O F Hall Jordan, Martha	EH B4 I	. 183	150	5.00 1.88	Overby & Wilson EH B6 L 1 Sanford, Mat EH B4 L 2
1	Jenkins, Filmore	WH I	S 1/2-126	400	6.81	Smith, Alex EH B4 L 2
1	Mott, Money	EH B3 I	. 273	500 400	8.50 5.00	Smith, Dixie EH B4 L 2 Smith, Elzie
1	Colored Mason	EH B3 I	157	200 250	2.50	Shelley, Rachael EH B2L 2
1	Menifee, Chas	EH B3 I	161-2-3	400	4.63 6.50	Thompson, Heirs, BobEH B3 L 1 Taylor, EllenEH B1 L 7
	Plummer, Tom Smith, Lou			200 50	10.00 213	Thompson, Cora EH B3 L 1
1	Shelby, Alex	EH B4 I	213-214	250	3.13	Watson, Jno EH B3 L 19 Wheatley, Horace EH B5 L P
1	Shelby, Rachael	ын вз Г	210	200	2.50	West, AnnieEH B6 L 1/



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Phil Campbell and Chas. Lemon of Tiptonville, were Hickman vis itors Sunday.

Rev. B. W. Hampton, of the Christian church, left first of the week to attend the convention at Madisonville, Ky.

Shaw Linn	WH	S 1-3 of 85	50	3.1
Smith, Eliza	GA	Pt. of 133-134	200	6.5
Taylor, Hollis	EH B4	E1/2 of 220	50	.6
		L 214		7.7
		L 187		1.8
Wheatley, Horace	EH B5	Pt. 215-216	500	7.7
Wess, Annie	EH B6	L N 1/2-249-250	400	5.0
Walker, Will	EH B5	L N 1/2-215	100	5.2
		L 200		7.1
Winston, Jane	ОН	138-139	300	6.2
Wright, Mittie	EH B7	L S 1/2-265-266	100	1.2
		L 123-4		2.7
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0-11	BB 11111		400	

Benton, Tom WH	N 1-3 131-132	909	17
Carpenter, G. L EH B2	L 76-77	1200	10.
Coffey, Nancy EH B4	L 242-244	750	5.4
Clark, Israel EH	L 214-218	450	3.
Creason Heirs WH	L 236	600	4.1
Carpenter, Miss Hattie EH B2	L 156 to 163	1200	9.0
Donnell, Arch LWH	L 160	750	7.
Elliott, Mrs. B. S RB WH	L 12	1200	8.4
Fuller, Mrs. VanWH	L 180	1200	9.0
Hagan, Will EH B4	Pt. 219	. 225	1.0
Harris, Mrs. S. C EH B5	L 199-200	450	3.3
Leggate, Price OH	L W 2-3-27		
Leggate, Price WH	L S 1/2-223	2700	21.7
Mayers, Ben WH	L 184	1200	10.0
Millet, R. E OH			
Millett, R. E GA	L 28	1508	20.3
Meyers, Chas			
	154	1800	13.
Metheny, R. M WH	L E 1-3 218	450	3.3
Morgan, Dave EH B7	L 209-210-211-212	1200	9.0
Newton, J C EH B7	L 219 to 224	750	13.9
New York Store Mer. Co WH	L 181	1125	8.4
Newton, Will	L 142-149	450	7.3
Prather, Dr. H. E	Office	376	2.8
Provow, Mrs. P. T WH	L 1/2-233	750	5.6
Roberts, VirgilWH	L 2	675	7.6
Royster, J F EH B5	L 169-172	450	3.3
Smith, C H WH	L 1/2-218-219	1800	15.0
Stigler, Oren EH B5	L 2-3 196-197	525	3.9

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COLORED LIST-1914		
Adkissin, Est., Bryant EH B4 L 234-235-236	600	4.50
Arbuckle, Hy EH B7 L 251	450	.88
Arbuckle, Hy EH B7 L 251 Bruer, Brown EH B6 L S ½-249 25	450	4.88
Bracy, Hilliard GA L 133	450	4.88
Brown, Geo GA L 1-3 15	225	3.19
Brown, Carolina EH B6 L 257-258	450	3.38
Bragg, Est., Mamie EH B6 L 245	150	1.13
Bracy, Minnie GA L 136	150	1.13
Bynum, Robt EH B7 L 1/2-265-266-267	150	1.13
Buey, Lee Ann EH B4 L 201-202	450	3.38
Britt, J. H	300	2.25
Carnes, Brady EH B3 L 274	300	3.75
Cooper, Eddie	525	3.94
Coleman, Faust EH B7 L 208	300	2.25
Donelson, Tony EH B 2 L 236	150	1.13
Davis, Tom EH B5 L 211	375	4.31
Ferrell, Pap EH B4 L 165	150	2.63
Fowler, Chas	450	4.88
Fowlkes, Jim GA Pt. L 150	225	3.19
Griggs, Robt EH B4 L 202-208	600	6.00
Hilliard, Luther EH B6 L 231	375	6.81
nooker, Horace EH B6 L 230	375	4.31
Hams. Geo EH B5 L 199.220	450	5.10
Hays, WillGA L 134	450	4.88
nammock, vicieEH B3 L 100	300	2.25
Jones, J J EH B5 L 148	150	1.13
Jewett, Cora EH B3 L 187	75	.56
Lowery, Green GA L 107-108	750	7.13
McLin, Walter GA L 49	375	4.31
Meneree, Chas EH B3 L 162-163-164	600	6.00
Maddox, Jessie GA L 33-38	450	4.88
Nichols, Chas	1200	10.50
overby & Wilson EH B6 L 183	450	3.38
Sanford, Mat EH B4 L 215	75	.56
Smith, Alex EH B4 L 221-222	450	7.38
mith, Dixie EH B4 L 203	225	1.69
omith, Eizle GA L 134	300	3.75
onelley, Rachael EH B2L 259-213	450	3.38
Chompson, Heirs, BobEH B3 L 189	150	1.13
aylor, Ellen EH Bl L 7	375	2.81
nompson, Cora EH B3 L 187	225	1.69
Vatson, Jno EH B3 L 158 to 161	675	5.03
reatley, Horace EH B5 L Pt. 215-216	750	7.13
Vest, AnnieEH B6 L ½ of 249-250	600	4.50